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WEATHER.—Oakland: Fair tonight, cloudy, possibly rain Friday, moderate south wind.

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ALMA BELL THREATENS LIFE OF SHERIFF
AND IS PLACED IN SOLITARY CONFINEMENT

"I Have Already Killed One Man!" Declares Girl

AGED MOTHER
CANNOT SEE
DAUGHTER
IN JAILAll Members of Family and
Press Representatives
Denied AdmittancePUNISHES PRISONER FOR
OUTBURST OF TEMPEROfficial Opposes Her Will and
Accused Becomes Violent
in Prison Cell

(By LYNN ETHEL WILSON)

AUBURN, Cal., Nov. 18.—A sensation independent of the trial for murder now in progress here was sprung this morning when Sheriff McCauley was forced to issue orders that Alma Bell, the 22-year-old mountain girl who is accused of shooting her lover, Joseph Arnes, is to be excluded from intercourse with all visitors, including representatives of the press and members of her own family.

This step is taken, according to jail officials, because of the girl's alleged violent temper and her frequent fits of rage in the heat of which she has no hesitancy in threatening the life of anyone opposing her will. When the formal announcement that the prisoner would be allowed to see no one while in her cell was made this morning every effort was made to suppress the real cause for such action in an effort to shield the girl.

Sheriff McCauley when pressed for facts admitted with extreme reluctance that his patience had reached the limit yesterday when Alma Bell, incensed over some trifling inconvenience, flew into a rage in his office and after denouncing everyone connected with her incarceration, grew extremely abusive, shrieking at last in a semi-hysterical frenzy, to which she frequently gives way.

You just wait until I get out of here, George McCauley, I have killed one man and you are pretty likely to get all that is coming to you.

OUTBURSTS COMMON.

Such outbursts are, according to prison attaches, of common occurrence and on more than one occasion it has been found necessary to restrain the girl's prisoner severely for her conduct.

Lee Chamberlain, who is defending her in her fight to escape the consequences of her murder of the young Portuguese rancher whom she shot on a lonely road near his cabin on the night of June 8, admitted today that the sheriff had informed him that because of his client's threats she was to be kept in solitary confinement outside of the actual court sessions, but refused to discuss the action.

GIRL UNDER MENTAL STRAIN.

"Alma is laboring under severe mental strain, and there is no doubt that her reason has been to some extent overthrown by all that she has suffered," he stated. "I have understood for some time that she was given to frequent outbursts of temper but up to now have attached no serious importance to a nervous condition which has been in her mind since her arrest."

Alma Bell entered the courtroom this morning leaning on the arm of her mother, who met her in the hall instead of in her cell as has been the custom of her usual court appearances. She was apparently calm and composed and in her cool greeting of several who knew her she took her place at the bar, it was impossible to detect a single trace of excitement.

Her self-control is wonderful when under the scrutiny of strangers, and it is only by the closest possible observation of her character from day to day that one can arrive at even a casual estimate of her emotion.

DISPLAY OF VANITY.

She still dresses her hair in a large pompadour with an immense black bow on the side; her face is still as carefully painted and powdered as on the day of her first appearance in court.

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Constable Auction Sale

At the extra fine fixtures of the Empire Hotel, No. 612 East Twelfth St., East Oakland, Cal., at 10 a. m., comprising 100 ft. Buffalo beam scale, hanging scales, marble counters, saws, plant, paper, tools and all fixtures pertaining to a first class market. Store for rent.

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You just wait until I get out of here. I have killed one man and you are pretty likely to get all that is coming to you. It's a pity that I can't have any liberty around this place—Threat of Alma Bell against life of Sheriff McCauley.

The girl is subject to violent fits of passion, and her assertion that there will be more than one killing around here if things don't go to suit her, are growing so frequent as to be unbearable. I have been forced to seclude her from intercourse with even the members of her own family on that account.—Statement of Sheriff McCauley who arrested Alma Bell the day following the murder.

Query.—If Husband Goes to
Resorts With Other Women,
May Wife Go With Other Men?

MRS. EMMA SUMMERHAYES, who is suing for divorce and who, to explain her presence at roadside resorts with men other than her husband, makes the novel explanation that "if her husband goes to such resorts with other women, she has the same right."

With the plea that the wife has the right to treat the promiscuous path when the husband leads the way, Mrs. Emma Summerhayes, tearfully and haltingly confessed to having remained away from the domestic hearth for two and a half days in company with F. H. Kuffler, whom the husband in his cross-complaint and answer to the wife's petition for divorce names as her affiant, and with whom he charges her with having committed many transgressions against the marital vow.

The confession was reluctantly wrung from the lips of the wife in Judge Wells' court room yesterday afternoon during the progress of the trial by Attorney Greer T. S. Webb, who, with his deputy, W. H. Cook, appeared in defense of the husband, William Ruggles Summerhayes, manager for the Mutual Electric Light and Heat company of San Francisco.

The interrogatory which compelled the unwilling confession was strenuously objected to by Attorney Thomas Keogh, Charles Lee and George W. Reed, who are acting in behalf of the wife. They argued that the husband had full knowledge of the incident referred to and had condoned the offense by afterward resuming the relations with his wife, and had signed a document to that effect. Judge Wells, however, declared that he desired to sift the facts of the case and instructed the witness to answer.

For the moment Mrs. Summerhayes looked about the hushed court room as if dazed by the revelations she was called upon to make. Her eyes reddened and with cheeks aflame she confessed to the outing from home in which she

admitted the young architect, E. H. Kuffler, was a party.

When the strain of the ordeal was over she shot an angry, scornful glance at her spouse, whose eyes fell and fingers twitched, as she vehemently declared: "That was after he had been away two days in the company of another woman," and she remarked turning appealingly to the judge as if in extenuation for her act, "I thought if he could act that way I had a right to do so."

SILENCE REIGNED.

For the instant silence reigned, which was broken by the attorney-general asking in a subdued voice a question bearing on another matter of immaterial incident and far removed from the sensational confession and dramatic excuse offered by the witness.

Neither the confession of the wife nor her charges against the husband's friendship for other women are in the opinion of the attorneys of any bearing on the trial for it is urged that they were condoned by the resumption of the marital relations.

Mrs. Summerhayes' charges are based upon the cruelty practiced toward her by her spouse who was free with his lists, according to her testimony since the other offenses were condoned. In these recitals of black eyes and bodily bruises she is borne out by the deposition of her sister, Irene Miller, which was taken several weeks ago.

"He always beat me with his clenched fist," she testified. "He hit me squarely between the eyes," she said, speaking of an incident occurring August 1, 1908. "When I went down under the blow he

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SOCIETY GIRL'S
ENGAGEMENT
SUDDENLY
BROKENMiss Claire Ferrin Will Not
Marry Frank Thatcher as
AnnouncedFASHIONABLE SET IS
GASPING WITH SURPRISEDate is Set and Cards Are
Issued and Then All is
Called Off

Although "the feast was set and the guests were met," almost, Miss Claire Ferrin of Berkeley, one of the most popular society girls about the bay, will not be married to Frank Thatcher of Washington, D. C., November 24, and the members of the ultra-fashionable set are gasping with astonishment.

The wedding guests had been bidden, the attendants chosen for the nuptials and the bridegroom-to-be already in the city, when brief notes were received yesterday announcing that the wedding had been "indefinitely postponed."

The announcement was a veritable bombshell in social circles, and now it is said that the wedding will never take place, that the postponement was announced to avoid embarrassing questions as to the cause of breaking off the engagement.

That the betrothal is ended was partially substantiated this morning by a member of the Ferrin family who said he could not state if the wedding would be solemnized in the spring or summer, as "it may never take place." All connected with the intended nuptials are extremely reticent about it.

Efforts to locate Mr. Thatcher were unsuccessful, although it is known that he is here, and at the Ferrin home nothing will be stated further than admitting that the wedding has been "indefinitely postponed" and that it was mutually agreed upon by the two persons most concerned.

SHROUDED IN MYSTERY.

Miss Ferrin denies herself to all inquiries and the prospective maids of honor and bridesmaids profess to know of no reason for the postponement of the ceremony.

When a member of Miss Ferrin's family was reached over the telephone this morning, he said: "We have nothing to say beyond that the wedding has been indefinitely postponed."

MUTUAL AGREEMENT.

"It is not broken off, is it?" was asked. "No. It was mutually agreed between Miss Ferrin and Mr. Thatcher to indefinitely postpone the ceremony."

When it is likely to be an event of next spring or early summer? "I would not like to say that. It may never take place. One can never tell, you know."

One topic in social circles this afternoon over the "teacup" is "postponement." Social leaders and their followers admit they are "flabbergasted."

No other word can adequately express their astonishment over the turn of affairs at the eleventh hour and the recalling of the invitations will furnish a subject for social gossip for many days to come.

It was only a few days ago that the bride-to-be announced her engagement to the ceremony. Miss Stella Hoag of 2808 Benvenne avenue, Berkeley, a neighboring chum and prominent in society, was chosen for maid of honor and the bridesmaids were to be Miss Mary Annus of San Anselmo and Miss Ethel Jones, both very close friends of Miss Ferrin. Little Laddie Eaton was to be the ring bearer.

It was announced that Mr. Thatcher was to be the best man.

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Furniture Auction.

On Friday, Nov. 19, 11 a. m., at the elegant eight-room flat 2207 Leighton avenue, corner of Twelfth and Leighton, near Franklin, by order of the Superior Court, we will sell the premises 1730 Parker street near Dover, Berkeley, consisting of two four-room flats and lot 231-100 by 130 feet. Open for inspection. Auction flag on premises. For further particulars see legal notice. GUY TAYLOR, Guardian of the person and estate of Louis E. Woodman, Inc., Competent.

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No Wedding Bells for
Popular Berkeley Maiden

MISS CLAIRE FERRIN, Whose Wedding to Frank Thatcher of Washington is "Indefinitely Postponed."

PRETTY MAID
SAYS RICH
CLUBMAN
TRIELEDWaitress Sues Harry Ramsey,
Alleging Breach of Promise
to Marry

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Harry Ramsey, a well-known capitalist and clubman of Oakland and Berkeley, whose wealth is said to reach at least half a million dollars, was made defendant in a breach of promise suit filed here today by Sara Derby, a Los Angeles waitress, who, in a brief complaint, brings startling accusations against him.

Ramsey, who resides at 2412 Piedmont avenue in Berkeley, according to the statement of Miss Derby, disregarded his solemn promise to wed her and not long ago married another woman whose name she does not know, but who is mentioned in the complaint as Jane Doe.

According to the woman, who is of an attractive type and about 35 years old, she met Ramsey while he was in a hotel in Los Angeles, and accompanied him to the city. On November 18, 1908, a year ago, she alleges, he proposed marriage to her, and that since he has refused to carry out his agreement, although she has been at all times ready to become his better half.

For the alleged breach of promise she requests \$25,000, and in the following words adds an additional cause of complaint, for which she demands a like sum:

"That, by reason of plaintiff's association, this defendant, depending upon his said promise to marry her, plaintiff's health has been and become permanently injured and impaired to her damage in the sum of \$25,000."

Miss Derby is completely prostrated over the news of Ramsey's marriage, and is in an extremely frail condition. She is represented by Attorney Carroll Cook to appear her in the action. She is at present residing at the Balboa hotel, 160 Eddy street.

DENIAL BY RAMSEY.

Harry Ramsey, when seen at the Key Route Inn where he and his wife have made their home since coming from their ranch in Mendocino county where they spent the summer, averred that he knew nothing of the woman who is suing him and disclaimed any knowledge of the proceedings instituted. He affected to be dumfounded at the news of the suit, and insisted that he knew of no person who could have a hold upon him.

Those things come up in every man's life, I suppose. Any one is apt to encounter an experience like this, but I must say I am utterly dumfounded. I can't imagine what it is."

Ramsey, about a year ago, married Miss Elsie Harwood of Fruitvale, a member of one of the prominent pioneer families of that place. The wedding was a society event and was widely heralded in the newspapers as much on account of the prominence of the bride as of the reputed wealth of the groom.

Ramsey made his money in Goldfield, where one of the main streets is named for him.

Guardianship Auction.

On Saturday, November 20, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Oakland Auction Company's salerooms, 359-363 Thirteenth street, near Franklin, by order of the Superior Court, we will sell the premises 1730 Parker street near Dover, Berkeley, consisting of two four-room flats and lot 231-100 by 130 feet. Open for inspection. Auction flag on premises. For further particulars see legal notice. GUY TAYLOR, Guardian of the person and estate of Louis E. Woodman, Inc., Competent.

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FIEND FIRES
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SPIRIT OF
REVENGEEighty Inmates of St. Luke's
Endangered When Flames
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TO RESCUE THE HELPLESSAuthorities Arrest Discharged
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MRS. OLGA MATOM.
MRS. J. O'NEARA.
MRS. C. LAUGHLIN.
MISS C. BOERNE.
MISS RUTH MITCHELL.
DR. L. A. CRAIG.
W. A. SMYTHE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—

Signalized by deeds of heroism without number, fourteen women, two men and an infant babe, patients in St. Luke's Hospital, were rescued from a seething caldron of fire which enveloped the structure known as the Mills building shortly before 4 o'clock this morning, and completely gutted that wing of the group.

That no one was killed and that all of the patients were carried to places of safety is due to the display of courage exhibited by the nurses, doctors and attendants on the hospital staff, who, disregarding every thought for their lives, dashed into the burning rooms, and aided the firemen and police in transporting the helpless people to places of safety.

THREATS WERE MADE.

The fire is believed beyond any possibility of a doubt to be of incendiary origin, and Detectives McGrath and Furman of the Inglefield district, together with a number of specially detailed officers, are scouring the Mission on a search for the culprit.

Incidentally they arrested Thomas Saunders, a discharged orderly who has been hanging around the hospital, and who only last night, when ordered out by Dr. F. W. Birch, the house physician, said:

"YOU'LL SEE THIS IN THE PAPER IN THE MORNING."

The blaze, which originated in the basement of the Mills building, poured out through the lattice work.

FIRE IS DISCOVERED.

Miss Tully, one of the nurses, was sitting in a hallway when she noticed the smoke coming up from the floor. Night Superintendent Maud McLeod was immediately notified and at 3:45 a. m. the auxiliary box in the hospital was pulled forth with three alarms were sent in from box 284.

Instantly a scene of excitement and confusion, the like of which has seldom been witnessed by either police or firemen, presented itself. While the flames rose high, and the cracking of the old wooden structure as it burned, roared, even above the shrill cries of the patients imploring aid, the interns, firemen and police did their work.

GIVE WAY TO WOMEN.

While the fire-fighters without poured water into the flaming structure from fifteen lines of hose, preparations were made to move the patients to the main building, and all of the male adults in the wards in that structure and in the private rooms gave up their beds and

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Real Estate Auction Sale

of one of the finest lots in Piedmont Park will take place at 1001 Clay street, Oakland, Cal., Saturday, November 20th, at 2 p. m. This lot is located on Pacific avenue two blocks from Piedmont Park, the lot is 55x170, known as lot No. 14, Map of Park View tract No. 2, Oakland town sheet. To appreciate this lot, take Piedmont avenue and get off at Piedmont Springs and see it for yourself. This is a choice piece of property and must be sold. Terms if desired. See for map.

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CATHOLICISM SUFFERING PERSECUTION IN FRANCE

Pope Pius Addresses Pilgrims, Urging Them On in Battle for Their Religious Rights

ROME, Nov. 12. — Pope Pius, in an address to the French pilgrims, whom he received today, declared that France was making war against the church with an aim of undermining the basis of Christianity. Catholicism, he declared, was suffering persecution by the French government under the pretext of the separation of state and church.

This is proved, he said, by the expulsion of the orders, the trials and condemnations inflicted upon Cardinal Andrieu and other bishops, and the threatened laws would extend official protection to irregular teachings and bring about a state monopoly of the schools.

URGES DEFENSE OF RIGHTS.

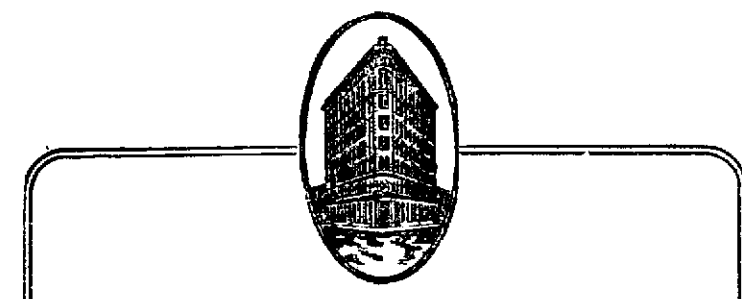
France, which would make the state the arbiter in religious matters, was at the same time fighting the French bishops who were faithful to the pontiff. These bishops were not allowed, the Pope said, to enjoy the liberty granted by French laws to all free citizens but on the other hand were insulted, tried and condemned for the sole reason that they were courageously fulfilling their apostolic duty. All this, the Pope said, instead of depressing, must animate Catholics to defend their religious rights.

The papal words were accepted here as confirmation of the opinion that the Vatican believes the struggle organized by the French government on the school question is intended to be a decisive battle for the complete effacement of Christianity as a factor in the rearing of children in France.

FIRE OF BOOKS.

PARIS, Nov. 12. — Mothers of the Catholic pupils at the young girls' schools at Chassigny-Sous-Dun, in Seine-et-Marne, made a public bonfire today of the interdicted text books used by their daughters. At other places in the commune Catholic girls withdrew from the schools. At Bayonne, where the priests have refused absolute to children attending the public schools in defiance of the clergy's warning, the parents have retaliated by refusing to contribute to the support of the church.

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First National Bank

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SUSPECT JANITOR OF STARTING FIRE

Police Arrest Former Employee Who Is Thought to Be Guilty

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moved into another building in order to accommodate the fourteen women who had to be transferred.

DEEDS OF HEROISM.

Of the deeds of heroism and of exceptional bravery which stand out among the hundred performed at this disastrous fire, none, perhaps, was so marked as that of Dr. Lloyd A. Craig. For two months the physician has been a patient in the hospital, and as he was awakened by the flare of the flames, he went up to the top floor in response to the cries of Mrs. J. Simpson, and, aided by superhuman strength, and a sudden determination, picked her up in his arms and staggered down the stairs with the fire raging around him until he reached the street, where he fell exhausted beside the woman whom he had taken from the path of danger. He was quickly revived by Dr. Birch, and carried to the main ward.

RESCUED FROM DEATH.

Frank White, one of the most popular orderlies in the hospital, also distinguished himself by his rescuing of Mrs. J. P. Dunn, who was caught in a smoke-filled room on the top floor. White, covering up his face with a pillowcase, dashed into the apartment, and picking the woman up in his arms, carried her out into the open air.

Captain Daniel P. Newell of Engine 13, rescued a woman and a man, whom he discovered in a room also on the top floor. He first took the former to a place of safety, and, returning, with the aid of Chief Horne, removed the man.

THOUGHT TO BE LOST.

Considerable excitement and consternation was caused during the progress of the blaze by the mysterious disappearance of W. A. Smythe, one of the patients in the burning structure. An inquiry was made at every hospital in town, but he could not be found and he was first thought that he had been burned to death. Later, however, it was discovered that Policeman William Moran had sent him in an automobile to a house at 1437 Valencia street, and he was later returned to the hospital.

Other rescues were effected by Nurses Tully, McLeod, Ivory and Quigley.

As soon as the alarms were sounded in the several emergency hospitals, ambulances were sent from the Central and the Mission and did duty at the scene in case the fire spread to all the hospital buildings.

WORK OF INCENDIARY.

After the excitement had subsided a careful investigation was made by the police into the report from Dr. Birch regarding Thomas Saunders. The physician, in a statement made to a TRIBUNE reporter, gave the following version of the affair:

"I feel certain that the fire was of an incendiary origin. There was no one in the basement, or no means for fire to be started down there. Steam heat is used in all the hospital buildings and there had been no fire in the range since the day before.

SUSPICIOUS ACTIONS.

"An orderly, Thomas Saunders, who worked for us about two weeks, and who was discharged, has been acting very suspiciously. He has been writing the most peculiar letters of a fantastic nature, to various attaches of the hospital, and signing long, peculiar initials. The other day he raised such a disturbance that we were forced to have him arrested. He boasted that he had a key to the basement where the fire originated today, and on the occasion of his arrest he was searched and the key found on him.

"Last night he came to the hospital and asked Miss Whiteside, the housekeeper, to forgive him. He was ordered away by Frank White, the night orderly, and said when he was being told to leave, 'You'll see this in the paper in the morning.'"

POLICE SENT FOR.

"It was believed that he was in the building somewhere last night, and at 1:30 this morning two policemen were sent for from the Mission station and a thorough search made of all the hospital buildings and the basement where the fire originated, but the man could not be found."

SAUNDERS ARRESTED.

Policemen Moran and Tathan arrested Saunders on Tuesday, as stated by Dr. Birch, at the request of the hospital authorities, and as they refused to put any more serious charge he was booked only for drunk. In their report today they declared they searched the basement this morning, but could not find him, but later the night engineer also made an investigation, but could not discover the man on the premises.

Thomas Saunders, the orderly, was taken into custody by Detectives McGroarty and Furman on Thirtieth street shortly after 11 o'clock this morning, and taken direct to police headquarters where he was put through the sweating process and was closely questioned by the two officers named. Detectives Gallagher and Burke, and Fire Marshal Towse, were also present.

PATIENTS ALL WELL.

By daylight this morning all of the patients had been comfortably housed in other parts of the hospital and in the brick structures, and no one was reported as the worse for their exciting experience.

The Mills' building, which was originally erected on donations given by D. O. Mills the well-known American financier, was one of the oldest in the group and was of an unstable wooden nature, it having served for many years and been constantly repaired.

EIGHTY PATIENTS.

There were about eighty patients all told in the various hospital buildings when the fire started, and the lives of several of these, who are seriously ill, would have been endangered had not the firemen succeeded so promptly in quelling the flames. The news that St. Luke's hospital was burning spread rapidly and even though the hour was an unseasonably one, the streets were banked with people and relatives and friends of patients ran, excited to the scene, in an endeavor to learn as to the welfare of some dear one.

After a sweating process covering three hours, during which four detectives and

J. I. ROLLINS AGAIN TRIES OLD GAMES

Within a Week From Leaving Prison Launches Into High Life and Shady Games

James I. Rollins, a former convict, who within a week after his liberation from San Quentin engaged the finest suite of rooms in the St. Mark's hotel, has again been placed in custody by the police. The general charge is that of swindling, and two others are charged with him. Rollins last career in Oakland has been that of the man going the limit with champagne, automobile rides and high roller essays.

A. S. Ameral, another convict, and E. Cecil Wilson, whose antecedents are comparatively unknown, were placed under arrest at the same time and all three are booked at the city prison on charges of grand larceny.

CHARGED WITH SWINDLING.

Somewhere between the three there are evidences of the swindling of twenty-three men in sums ranging from \$50 to \$500 each, and all were caught on an alleged bogus mining operation. The complaint against them is sworn to by Norman McLeod, employed at the general hospital at the Presidio.

McLeod claims that he was induced to advance to the three men \$100 and in return was to receive transportation to Alaska and employment in a mine there at \$4.50 per day for the first year and \$6 a day during the second year. The \$100 was to be returned at the end of the term of service.

Police investigations show that Rollins was released from San Quentin on the last of May and on the 6th of June returned to the city. McLeod and Wilson he was joined by Ameral and Wilson.

HIGH SOUNDING TITLES.

The Hypatia Mining and Development company is the title of the company which Rollins, Ameral and Wilson are under the laws of Arizona, and based on mines which Rollins claimed to own at White Pass, Skagway, and St. Charlotte Island, Alaska, but Captain Petersen says they are only mythical.

Ameral has admitted to the police that with the exception of a few small sums collected by Wilson, all the money from the numerous applicants seeking positions was received by him and turned over to Rollins without even the formality of a receipt. Ameral claimed that the money was deposited in the safe at the St. Mark and was to be used for the transportation of the applicants to Alaska and returned to them after the expiration of the two years of service. An investigation at the hotel disclosed that there was not a cent there to the credit of any of the three and they had not been in the habit of depositing any money there whatever.

RECORD OF AMERAL.

Ameral was formerly a deputy sheriff in Santa Clara county and has served a term in the penitentiary for a similar offense. Rollins' record is a term of three years at San Quentin and a term at McNeil's Island to which he was sentenced from Seattle for a swindle of the same nature. He was sent to San Quentin from Oakland and his term after coming straight to Oakland immediately upon his release and resuming the same game has given the police no little cause of astonishment.

J. J. Rose, an Oakland attorney, was consulted as to a legal capacity by Rollins and says that on June 15, when an organization of the Hypatia company was first begun, there were fifteen men of some prominence in the city present in the capacity of stockholders.

SEIZE TRUNKS OF MRS. ALFRED TUBBS

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Mrs. Alfred Tubbs of San Francisco, who was a passenger on the Cunarder Lusitania, which arrived last Friday from Liverpool, has been ordered to pay \$250 for the release of her baggage. She claimed only \$400 in dutiable goods and an examination by an appraiser revealed several times that amount.

Before her trunks were seized Mrs. Tubbs said she had been advised by a politician of this city named A. Smith, to make a deposit in the city department, who met her at the pier, that she need not bother about her trunks, as he would attend to matters. She said also that she was unfamiliar with the customs rules.

Smith was summoned to the Customhouse and asked to explain. He said he was entirely innocent of wrongdoing; that he had met Mrs. Tubbs as a friend and had assisted her in an entirely legitimate way.

PROBATIONER FALLS AGAIN FROM GRACE

Thomas O. Mahan, a plasterer, convicted of burglarizing the home of Francisco Cutting, on Harrison street, and later released on probation, was arrested last night on a charge of being drunk. This offense will probably lead to his being taken before the Superior Court to receive sentence.

JUNK DEALER GETS THIRTY DAYS IN JAIL

Louis Braslawsky, a second-hand dealer, was convicted this morning before Police Judge Smith on a charge of receiving stolen property from boys. He was sentenced to thirty days in jail and fined \$100.

Fire Marshal Towse fired questions at the prisoner, Thomas Saunders, who has been creating disturbances at St. Luke's hospital, and who is suspected of having set fire to the building this morning, was booked in detention.

"We have not yet concluded our investigations," said the marshal, "the session broke up at 2:45 p. m. 'But I can say that I am satisfied that the man under arrest is the one we want. Although he refuses to admit the crime, and account for his whereabouts, we intend to hold him and will question him further at another time.'"

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Eradicates scrofula and all other humors, cures all their effects, makes the blood rich and abundant, strengthens all the vital organs. Take it.

In usual liquid form or in chocolate tablets called Sarsapilla. 100 doses \$1.

FINNISH DIET IS DISSOLVED

Refuses to Sanction Russian Cabinet's Assessment of \$4,000,000 for Defense

HELSINKI, Finland, Nov. 12. — The Finnish diet was dissolved today because of its refusal to sanction the bill introduced by the government asking for an appropriation of \$4,000,000 for the defense of the empire. An election will be held February 1 and the new diet will assemble March 1.

The dissolution of the diet was expected when the government bill was rejected yesterday. The conflict in the diet was the same as that which took place in the senate and resulted in the resignation of many Finnish senators and the substitution of a majority made up of Russian military officers.

The senate had expressed a willingness to contribute \$2,000,000 as an annual appropriation for the national defense, but double that amount was assessed by the Russian cabinet as Finland's contribution for the defense of the empire.

HUDSON TUNNELS ARE OPEN TODAY

Pennsylvania Road Now Joins Jersey City and Long Island

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—After years of labor and the expenditure of many millions of dollars, the Pennsylvania Railroad's last link in the steel chain which will connect New Jersey with Long Island and has been completed and today the first passenger coach will run from Philadelphia to Long Island City through the completed tunnels under the Hudson river, Manhattan Island and East river.

James McCrea, president of the Pennsylvania Company, accompanied by other officials and a number of friends, will board the president's car, No. 60, at Philadelphia, and the run to Jersey City will be made attached to one of its fast trains. As the electric equipment for the tunnels has not been fully completed, a locomotive of the ordinary type will be pressed into service and will push the private car through the tunnel to the Sunnyside yards at Long Island City.

TEACHERS OF ANNEXED DISTRICTS WELCOMED

Mary E. Norton, president of the Alameda County Teachers' Club, has sent the following communication to the teachers of the district newly annexed to Oakland.

"Friends: On behalf of the Teachers' Club of Alameda county, a very large percentage of the membership of which are teachers in Oakland, I desire to send you cordial greetings and to extend an invitation to have you come into the greater city to share our advantages and responsibilities. We offer you the right hand of fellowship, and invite you to become members of the organization, which by earnest, intelligent co-operation has already succeeded in doing much for the teaching force of this city. The reputation of Oakland's schools has always been high; the public has recently given marked evidence of its recognition of the value of the teachers' contribution to the general good. You will now share this treatment. We are sure you will unite with us in the determination to give a high order of public service.

Very cordially,
MARY E. NORTON,
President of the Alameda County Teachers' Club.

YACHT WRECKED ON MADEIRA ISLAND ROCK

FUNCHAL, Madeira, Nov. 12. — There was no loss of life when the yacht Varuna, owned by Eugene Higgins of New York, was wrecked on the northwest coast of the island. The yacht was driven ashore during a severe storm. All the members of the yachting party and the crew have been accounted for. They found refuge on the north coast. The Varuna is full of water and it is believed she will soon go to pieces.

The Varuna is a twin-screw yacht of 1874 tons, built of steel. She sailed from New York on November 2d and after touching at Bermuda, proceeded for Madeira and the Mediterranean. Mr. Higgins is a member of the board of managers of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad and has other extensive business interests.

FINNS DEFTY CEAR.

HELSINKI, Finland, Nov. 12. — At an all night session concluding yesterday the Finnish Diet rejected the government bill providing for Finland's contribution to the Russian military appropriation.

A resolution was adopted requesting the emperor to reintroduce the measure in a constitutional form. The dissolution of the Diet is expected.

See our big display of "Holeproof" Sox

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EXCLUSIVE OAKLAND AGENT, Washington Street

RETURNS LOST JEWELS TO OWNER AT DEPOT

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 12.—When Mrs. Margaret Adams of Chicago entered the lavatory in the Union depot here last night she was surprised to find four valuable rings lying near the wash basin. Recalling the sorrow, the loss of her own wedding ring several years ago, had caused her, Mrs. Adams made a thorough canvass of the waiting passengers and eventually restored the jewels to their owner, Mrs. Goldie Dixon of New Town, Me.

There was one diamond solitaire, one ruby ring, one emerald ring and one opal surrounded with diamonds. Their total value was \$500.

INSPECTORS ORDERED TO SEIZE BLEACHED FLOUR

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12. — Open defiance by millers of bleached flour to heed the government's warning to cease the manufacture of that article of food on pain of its being seized has led Secretary of Agriculture Wilson to take drastic action.

An order has been issued by the Secretary to inspectors of the Department of Agriculture to seize all bleached flour in the country and information has been received here that as a result 14 consignments, comprising several hundred carloads, were taken in the West yesterday. Further seizures are expected today.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS OUST MRS. AUGUSTA E. STETSON

Church Directors Find New York Leader
Guilty of Conniving Against Mrs.
Eddy and Heresy

BOSTON, Nov. 18.—The name of Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, formerly first reader of the Christian Science church of New York, was dropped today from the list of names on the rolls of the Christian Science church by order of the directors. The directors decided the charge that Mrs. Stetson was working contrary to the teachings and practices of Christian Science to be true.

TEXT OF THE RULING.
The board of directors made known its ruling in the following statement:

"A complaint against Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson of New York was filed with the board of directors of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, on November 3, 1909. She was immediately furnished with a copy of it.

"It was ordered by said board that the evidence in support of defense of complainant should be presented in form of affidavits, or documents, except that any evidence given or statement made by the complainant should be given orally and in the presence of the directors, that the accused should have the right to the assistance of counsel and that the case should be heard commencing on November 10th.

"The hearing commenced at that time and was concluded on November 17. Mrs. Stetson was present with her counsel. The evidence in support of the complaint consisted of the affidavits of twenty-seven persons, five letters written by Mrs. Stetson to her students and a composite letter written by some of her students and approved by her.

"The evidence in defense consisted of one affidavit, two letters and Mrs.

Stetson's personal testimony and statements.

CHARGES PROVED AND TRUE.
"After considering the evidence it was the unanimous conclusion that the charges had been proved and were true. Mrs. Stetson's name was then dropped from the rolls of membership of said church.

"The offenses proved against Mrs. Stetson were of two kinds:
"First, working against the interests of the members of this church who are not her followers, and against the teachings of the church, second, persisting in techniques and practices which are contrary to Christian Science."

Warrant Is Issued For Oakland Man

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Warrants have been issued for the arrest of F. M. Meigs, president of the Market Street Securities Company, and Arthur Crane, secretary and treasurer of the same corporation, on charges of contempt of court. Two days ago Judge Seawell of the Superior Court ordered them to turn over the books and some of the certificates of the defunct Market Street Bank to Wm. Greer Harrison, receiver of the bank. At the time of the order Judge Seawell warned the two that failure to comply with the order would constitute contempt, but they failed to deliver the documents in question.

F. M. Meigs lives in Oakland and Arthur Crane resides in Berkeley, and neither man has been seen at home or at the offices of the company in this city in the last two days.

ILLNESS OF JUROR GILLAM BLOCKS DE LANCEY TRIAL

Juror Von Duren Reports for Duty, but Sick
Colleague Has Relapse and Case
Goes Over to Monday

Sickness compelled Superior Judge Brown this forenoon to again continue the trial of Attorney John S. De Lancey, Juror Herman Von Duren, whose illness first interrupted the hearing of the case last Friday, had so far recovered from the severe cold that forced him to remain at home under the care of a physician, as to present himself for duty, but when the jury was polled at 11 o'clock Juror Jefferson Gillam failed to answer to the call of his name, so as to appear in court until next Monday at the earliest.

Acting, therefore, upon this information, Judge Brown continued the trial until Monday morning, instructing the jurors present to report on that day at 10:30 o'clock.

Donahue announced that last night he received a telephone message from Dr. O. D. Hamlin to the effect that he had been advised by Dr. Baldwin, who is attending Gillam, that his patient had suffered a relapse and his condition was such as to preclude any possibility of his appearing in court until next Monday at the earliest.

Acting, therefore, upon this information, Judge Brown continued the trial until Monday morning, instructing the jurors present to report on that day at 10:30 o'clock.

PRISON WILL BE IN NEW CITY HALL

Mayor Mott and Chief of Police Wilson Enlighten Grand Jury

Mayor Frank K. Mott and Chief of Police Wilson were summoned before the grand jury this morning to enlighten members of that body as to the incorporation of a city prison in the projected new city hall.

The grand jury visited the city prison a few days ago and while they realized that the best was being done for the prisoners that conditions would permit, they were appalled at the unfitness of the place for the purposes of a prison. Chief of Police Wilson explained matters to the grand jury and Mayor Mott explained that in the contemplated new city hall it was designed to place the prison apartments on the top floor and that they would be constructed so as to be an airy and ample accommodation for municipal prisoners for many years.

RECEPTION ARRANGED FOR BISHOP O'CONNELL

The Ancient Order of Hibernians of Alameda County will give a reception to the Right Rev. Bishop O'Connell at the Hotel Hamilton on Friday evening, Nov. 19. The following excellent program has been prepared for the occasion, which promises to be most auspicious from every point of view:

Préface—Patriotic airs. By Orchestra.
Tender direction of Jos. McNamara.
Opening remarks. County Chaplain, A. O. H. Rev. J. B. McNally.
Greeting to His Lordship. Right Rev. D. J. O'Connell.
John Cox, County President, A. O. H. Reply to greeting. By His Lordship.
Right Rev. Bishop O'Connell.
Interlude—Irish songs. By Orchestra.
Song—"Kathleen Marvourney."
Accompanied Miss Annie O'Hanly.
Recitation—"Pupil St. Mary's College."
Mr. Chas. Moul.
Irish dancing. Harpists and Misses Frances Keith.
Interlude—Irish songs. By Orchestra.
Oration—"State Chaplain, A. O. H. Rev. T. Carragher.
Finale—"God Save Ireland." Audience.

VISITING COMMISSIONERS STOP OVER IN SAN JOSE

SAN JOSE, Nov. 18.—Several of the honorary commercial commissioners stayed over in this city a few hours today, on their way to Monterey. They were shown around the valley in automobiles by the local Chamber of Commerce.

CHARLES I HAS HEAD EXAMINED

Monkey May Be Able to Talk, Thinks Professor, if Operation is Performed

BERKELEY, Nov. 18.—Riding his bicycle and waving a California pennant, Charles I. the educated chimpanzee, appearing at the Orpheum in Oakland this week, made the acquaintance of the student body in the university at noon today in front of the Co-op. store, and afterwards had his cranium examined by no less a person than Prof. J. P. Merriam, with a view to ascertaining if he could be made to talk intelligently by undergoing an operation.

MAY BE ABLE TO TALK.
Prof. Merriam would not commit himself as to the result of such an operation, but after a thorough examination of the monkey's head and comparing its shape with those of various animals and human beings, the professor said that Charles I. showed an unusual development, and his ability to talk might possibly be developed.

Charles Judge, owner of the monkey, says that he has been assured that if an operation is performed by the celebrated Dr. Edward of Europe, the simian protegee can be taught to talk intelligently.

LIGHTS CIGARETTE.
When the monkey rode his wheel at the Co-op store some five hundred students gathered about and gave him a rousing "Hiss" which Charles I. received with his wheel and took in the situation with much enjoyment. He looked as if he felt in his element. To show that he was he lit a cigarette and smoked on the floor.

FOND OF GIRLS.
Charles I. and his party came to Berkeley in three automobiles and en route "Miss" Charles I. was the subject of much conversation. While there Charles submitted to being measured by the Berthelme brothers, and gave the thumbs prints taken. He is exceptionally fond of girls and insisted on juggling all the co-eds he could find at the University. In the evening he accompanied them to the home of Mrs. R. F. Kirkpatrick, Miss Nellie Lewis and Mrs. Zola Radcliffe.

POLICE AIDED MAYBRAY GANG

Confession Made by County Jail Prisoner Reveals Astounding Conspiracy

Through a confession reported to have been made by one of the Herriman gang now confined in the county jail, the internal workings of "The Con Man's Trust," which managed and pulled off false sporting events all over the country, have been revealed. Owing to the strict chain of seclusion which has been thrown about the prisoners by the county authorities it was impossible to learn today which one of the gang had weakened, but suspicion strongly points to F. W. Brown. The county authorities refused to allow any one to see the prisoners today.

Rumor has it that the gang operated in "schools" with the police in nearly every city where they made a "killing."

It is stated that the gang moved from New Orleans to Council Bluffs because the go-between for the police in the former city failed to exact a greater percentage of the cleav-ups for protection than the members of the gang were willing to part with.

BIG PROTECTION PRICE.
As high as 20 per cent of the returns of a coup that it took months to work up often went for this protection. In Council Bluffs there was no interference as long as 20 per cent of the gross earnings went in the right direction, which may account for the fact that three of the largest cities of that state were "worked" one after the other by the gang.

The operations of the gang in Council Bluffs brought \$40,000 to the treasury of New Orleans and adjacent territory contributed \$30,000. The total profits of the trust since its formation are estimated at \$500,000. Of this the police in the various cities who protected the gang held in Oakland, the postal authorities have placed the two Carrolls, Joe and Jimmy, in prison in Seattle. Maybray is waiting trial in Council Bluffs. Bert R. Shores, alias Young Hackerschildt, No. 48, is also frowning on the world between bars. Leon Lozier, alias D. H. McLeod, No. 21, on the books of the trustful confidence operators, was captured at Battle Mountain, Nevada, where he was laying the foundation for operations among the mine owners of the sage brush state.

Divorcee Tries to Put End to Life

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Corina Temple, the divorced wife of Warner Temple, an attorney at law in the Mills building, and formerly an English barrister, attempted to commit suicide at 2:15 this afternoon in her room at the Hotel Irvine, 447 Eddy street, by swallowing carbolic acid. The woman was about to be taken to the Oakland hospital at the instance of J. C. Westenberg of the Whosover Will Mission, who was looking out for her interest. Mrs. Temple achieved notoriety during her divorce proceedings about a year ago in attempting to horrowpunch her spouse. The couple have one daughter, who is employed by Newman & Levinson.

CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE
PAY BIG RETURNS FOR THE MONEY
INVESTED.

RIGHT OF WIFE TO FOLLOW IN SPOUSE'S LEAD

Mrs. Summerhayes Confesses to Gay Times in Pursuit of Husband

BLACKENED HER EYES
ON ONE OCCASION

Turmoil Reigned and Discord
Wracked Heart and Home

(Continued From Page 1.)

stood over me and kicked me. I had my arms full of dishes, but that made no difference. He insulted me and said that he knew all about me from a friend who told him something. I cannot tell you what he called me, but it was awful. "He accused me of going to places with other men in my automobile and every time he mentioned a place he kicked me. I don't know whether he overlooked any of the places along the road or not.

"I came home late from shopping one time and he said, 'You are drunk.' He caught me by the wrists and twisted them and threw me on the couch and beat me.

"At another time he arose at 6:30 o'clock in the morning and made so much noise exercising with Indian clubs that I told him he was selfish and that if he would not let me sleep I would go to my sister's room. He caught me a blow with his fist as I went past him and I fell into his mother's room. He screamed and said, 'You get out of here. He has a perfect right. I don't blame him.

"Meeting me in the hall he jammed me over the wall and hammered me first with one fist and then another until I escaped and went to my sister's room.

"A policeman called and Summerhayes ordered him away, saying that the house was his castle. The policeman said, 'I would like to have you come out here so I could beat you up as you have been beating these women.'

PROPERTY IN DISPUTE.
There is much acrimony exhibited in the contest from the fact that \$50,000 in lands and cash are at stake, which the wife deems her property. The husband is reported to be in receipt of a salary of \$6,000, of which sum Mrs. Summerhayes declares she ought to be awarded half.

R. V. Elder of Alameda was a haughty thug for the plaintiff in the Summerhayes divorce case when the trial was resumed this morning.

He had to be dragged into giving his testimony and he resented one of the questions propounded by the husband's attorney, U. S. Webb, by asking indignantly:

TILTED WITH COUNSEL.
"Am I on trial in this case?"

"Well, you are likely to be," retorted the Attorney General.

Under testimony how he happened to be at Morgan's Park on the San Leandro road, and going into a room by mistake he saw the defendant, Summerhayes, in bed with a woman whom he positively declared bore no resemblance to the plaintiff in the case.

Mrs. Alice J. Nell, who lives with her father, S. A. Davis, at 2209 Carlton street, Berkeley, from whom the Summerhayes lived, testified that she saw a woman screaming one morning last March. Hastily putting on a wrapper she rushed out to render assistance and learned that the cries came from the Summerhayes home.

Two days later Mrs. Summerhayes appeared to the father of the witness to be taken in and remained there for about a month.

EYES WERE BLACKED.
The witness said that the plaintiff's eyes were blacked and swollen and her breasts and body were burned in numerous places, showing the marks of the severe beatings she had received from her husband.

During her sleep she would scream out, "Get away, you brute," and otherwise gave evidence of the nervous strain under which she labored as a result of the husband's cruelty. Mrs. Nell's testimony was unshaken under cross-examination.

DESPERADO HOLDS BOY IN JEOPARDY

Threatens to Kill Child if Officers Attempt to Arrest Him

BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 18.—Holding captive a little boy, whose life he threatens to take, thus intimidating officers of the law who are seeking to place him under arrest, a desperado heavily armed, occupied an upstairs room in the ranch house of George Coffin, three miles north of Nampa.

The stranger appeared at Coffin's home at daylight and asked for food. Coffin recognized him as the man who shot and seriously wounded Officer George Fleming on Tuesday and attempted to hold the outlaw for the authorities. The man thereupon drew a revolver and declared he would kill Coffin, carrying him upstairs.

He threatened to kill the lad if he were followed. Coffin telegraphed for aid and a posse now surrounds the house.

War on the Yees Carried to Denver

DENVER, Nov. 18.—Denver's Chinatown is in terror today as the result of warnings received from San Francisco that thirty henchmen are en route to Denver to exterminate members of the Yee Tong, of whom there are nearly 100 here.

This action is a result of the feud that is now raging in San Francisco between the Yee Tong and the On Yick tong.

STATE IS REBUTTING
INSANITY OF MRS. READ

DENVER, Nov. 18.—The State began today presenting evidence in rebuttal of the claim made by the defense in the case of Mrs. Allen F. Read, that she was insane when she made the alleged attempt to extort money from Mrs. Genevieve Phelps.

CITY OF PARIS

New Jewelry

We have received a new line of Jewelry from Paris, the latest creations in patterns of three different styles. The assortment is so extensive and prices so varied we can merely outline the articles.

Gun Metal and Silver and Gold Bags. Belt Buckles, LaValieres, Brooches.

Pearl and Jet Dog Collars. Pearl Necklaces, Vanity Cases. Jet and Fancy Combs, Barettes in every new design. Hat Pins in Every Conceivable Pattern and Quality.

Ladies' Belts in Novelty and Elastic.

All Moderately Priced

Geary at Stockton, Union Square
SAN FRANCISCO

MAMMOTH BOND ISSUE BY GOULD WILL AID THE COAST

Missouri Pacific Securities to Place the
Western Pacific on Highest Plane
Of Efficiency

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—George J. Gould, head of the Gould interests, announced yesterday an issue of \$23,800,000 bonds of the Missouri Pacific railroad, which are offered the shareholders at \$5 and interest, convertible into stock at par after 1912.

The entire issue has been underwritten by Kuhn, Loeb & Co. The proceeds of this issue will be utilized for improving the Missouri Pacific and raising it to the highest state of efficiency, in anticipation of the forthcoming opening of the Western Pacific railroad between Salt Lake and San Francisco.

This bond issue and the sale of the Gould holdings in the Western Union Telegraph Company, which was announced yesterday, constitute a turning point in the policy of the Gould interests which is of vital importance to California.

AMBITIONS OF GOULDS.
It may be stated on the highest authority first: That hereafter the Goulds will concentrate every resource of their vast money power on the development of their great railroad system; second, that with the completion of the Western Pacific, which gives them an outlet on the Pacific at San Francisco and an all-Gould track from the Pacific to Buffalo and Pittsburgh, the Goulds believe they have a railroad system which, under proper development, is capable even of eclipsing the Harriman system; third, that for the specific purpose of developing this railroad system the Goulds have relinquished their control of Western Union, which had for years been deemed a Gould family heritage; fourth, that George J. Gould is ambitious to become the railroad king of America; that E. H. Harriman barred the way to this achievement during his lifetime, but that since Harriman's death Gould has realized that railroad dominance is once more to be won; fifth, that Gould intends actively to push the development of the Gould lines in the West and push the Western Pacific as rapidly as possible into a position of traffic supremacy in California in pursuance of the belief that the Western Pacific is

to the success of the Gould system the same strategic key the Southern Railway proved to be to the Union Pacific system.

MAKE OLD SYSTEM NEW.
It is understood in railroad circles that E. H. Harriman found the Union Pacific incapable of the development it deserved, and that he sought an outlet on the Pacific and that is why he acquired the Southern Pacific.

The Goulds were quick to perceive that the same applied to their railroad system, ending with the Denver and Rio Grande at Salt Lake, and it was for this reason that they undertook to build the Western Pacific, which had been planned and organized by Walter J. Barnett and his associates.

WANT HIGHEST EFFICIENCY.
It is to put these two latter roads on a basis of the highest efficiency, with consequent maximum of economy in operation, that the Goulds have taken the extensive financing of what today's Missouri Pacific bond issue is part. Announcement of it is a coup de main to provide for the improvement of the Denver & Rio Grande, most of which has been subscribed abroad, was made several months ago.

It was well understood in Wall street yesterday that the sale of the Western Union holdings is the first important step in the execution of the new Gould policy, wherein their railroad development will be paramount. It is a combination of the stories printed four months ago that Gould and Hawley would divide the railroad dominance in this country the next generation.

DAD WHITE WILL NOT BE CRIPPLE FOR LIFE

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Reports that "Dad" White, Fordham College star football player, had suffered injuries in a game which would make him a cripple for life, were dispelled today by the university authorities, who are entirely without foundation.

THE "particular dressers" of today are by no means those wearing made-to-order clothes. The Captains of Industry, the Big Officials and Prominent Business Men have found in Atterbury System Clothes the solution of the dress problem.

Atterbury System Clothes are every way as good as the best merchant tailor can make, and cost about half as much. They also save the wearer the time lost in fittings and re-fittings, vexatious disappointments and delays.

You ought to wear one of these merchant-tailored, ready-to-slip-on Atterbury System garments. If you do, you will never wear any others, and regret that you did not wear them long before.

If you have never worn Atterbury System Clothes, how about beginning on Thanksgiving?

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Keep at the coffee until you prove it.

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Then you quickly begin the rebuilding and no one need tell you.

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"My family on both sides were confirmed coffee tapers," writes a Penna. man, "and we suffered from nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, dizziness and palpitation of the heart."

"Medical treatment never seemed to do any permanent good. I thought there must be some cause for these troubles and yet did not find it was coffee until I was forty-one.

"Hearing of the benefit that many had derived from changing to Postum, I quit coffee and used Postum entirely. Now I am like a new man.

"I sleep well, can eat three good meals a day, have no headache nor palpitation, no nerve twitching in my face, and I don't have to pay out hard-earned money for medicines.

"That's my experience, anyway."

Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

Hale and Hearty at 90



MR. AQUILLA SHARP, 90 Years Old.

The oldest deer hunter of New Jersey, who is now 90, hale and hearty and possessed of all his faculties, is loud in his praise of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, which has given him strength and vigor in his declining years.

Mr. Aquilla Sharp of Ocean City, New Jersey, enrolls himself as one of the many thousands who have been kept young by the use of the great elixir of life as his only medicine.

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CAUTION.—When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's an absolutely pure medicinal malt whiskey and is sold in sealed bottles only—never in bulk. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Price \$1.00. Write Medical Department, the Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y., for a free illustrated medical booklet and free advice.



PREFERS DEATH TO DEPORTATION

Japanese Immigrant, Fearing Exclusion, Slashes Himself With Razor

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Enraged by the refusal of the immigration authorities to recognize his papers and fearing that he would be sent back to Japan, Kumi, a Japanese, attempted to commit suicide in a horrible manner in the steerage of the steamer Alameda at 10:30 this morning. Although he had slashed his throat, wrists and stomach, inflicting deep wounds with a razor, he put up such a battle with Steward Thomas en route to the Central Emergency hospital that he was restrained with difficulty, and only after he had almost overpowered the attendant and bitten him several times.

Warriner Is Still Kept in the Jail

CINCINNATI, Nov. 18.—Charles T. Warriner, former local treasurer of the Big Four Railroad, accused of having stolen \$543,000 of the funds of the company, failed to obtain release from the county jail today, the efforts of his attorneys to obtain bonds having been without result.

A Handy Home-Made Remedy for Coughs and Colds.

A cold or cough often comes on quickly. This simple remedy, if kept handy, will nip it in the bud. Although inexpensive, there is nothing better or more sure. It usually stops a deep-seated cough in twenty-four hours, and is splendid for hoarseness, whooping cough, chest pains, bronchitis, etc.

Granulated Sugar Syrup..... 1/2 pt.
Pinex..... 2 1/2 oz.

Make a plain syrup by mixing one pint Granulated Sugar and 1/2 pint of warm water; stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 ounces Pinex in a pint bottle and fill up with the Sugar Syrup. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

None of the weak pine preparations will work in this case. Use the real Pinex itself, which is the most valuable concentrated compound of Nature. Pinex Extract and is put in all the healing elements of the pine. All coughs have it or can easily get it out of them.

This recipe makes a full pint of unequalled cough syrup enough to last a family a long time, for only 2 cents. It is equally good for children and adults, and has a pleasing taste.

Strained honey can be used instead of the syrup, and makes a very fine honey and pine tar cough syrup.

PEN FAREWELL NOTES; ENTER BURNING MINE

Rescuers Plunge Into Chasm of Death to Aid St. Paul Victims

HEROIC TRIO FIND ONE DEAD BODY IN GALLERY

Inspector Prepares to Descend Into Seething Furnace in Main Shaft

CHERRY, Nov. 18.—The first body was brought out of the St. Paul mine today by Mine Inspector James Taylor and Thomas Moses. It was carefully shielded from the view of the crowd, the officers fearing a disturbance.

CHERRY, Ills., Nov. 18.—After leaving letters to be mailed to their families in case of never returning three men descended into the St. Paul mine this afternoon. The party, consisting of J. W. Paul of the Geological Survey; George H. Rice and R. Y. Williams, planned to ascertain conditions in the second gallery.

A few moments later one body was found in the second gallery. It was learned that it would be possible to enter the main shaft. Inspector Taylor then announced he would next enter the main shaft. It was expected many bodies would be found there.

In addition to the one body taken from the shaft, it was learned, despite attempts at secrecy, that a large number of dead were found in the gallery.

The three who visited the gallery were pallid when they emerged. They immediately went to a Pullman car where a conference was held with mine officials, State inspectors and other experts.

Coroner Malm and the coroner's jury have arrived at the mine, presumably to view the bodies of the dead. It is expected, will be brought to the surface. Newspapers were barred from the enclosure by the soldiers at the request of the conferees and experts. The explorers are preparing for another trip into the gallery.

"We are going down into that mine today. We will conquer it or it will conquer us. Unless we succeed we will never come out alive," James Taylor, Illinois Mining Inspector, said early today.

REPEATEDLY RISKS LIFE. Mr. Taylor, who repeatedly has risked his life in the St. Paul mine, made this declaration as he, with the others who were to tempt fate today, prepared for the final ordeal.

Carpenters were putting the finishing touches on the construction which would lower a float with two men into the air shaft.

Geo. F. Rice and other experts were testing the temperature of the main shaft. They found that it had dropped a few degrees. The temperature stood at 100 and 108.

"There is no use of hunking now," said Inspector Taylor. "I will go into this mine today. Tom Moses, another of the explorers; R. Y. Williams and Jas. Webb, the geological experts from Virginia, and several others are ready to go."

"TO FIGHT THAT MINE." "We are going to fight that mine. If we are successful we will be able to recover the bodies, if not—"

Here the old man, who has served a long time in the earth, waved his hand in emphasis of the fate that might await him and his companions.

"We will go into the air shaft first and then we will open the main shaft. We are convinced to believe we shall find the temperature a little lower."

The explorers were equipped with oxygen helmets. They carried axes and other implements with which to break through obstructions.

CANNOT HARBOR SECEDING UNIONS

Organizations of Labor Federation Are Warned Not to Be-friend Reactionaries

TORONTO, Nov. 18.—Organizations affiliated with the American Federation of Labor must cease harboring seceding unions of electrical workers.

President Gompers announced this today in the Federation convention, after the question had been raised by Delegate Hayes of Cleveland. Hayes said that state federations in West Virginia, Utah, Montana, Oklahoma, Washington, New Jersey and Nebraska were protecting seceding factions of the electrical workers, and he wanted to know if their charters would be revoked.

President Gompers replied that when formal complaint was received the offending organizations would be advised that their course must be changed.

DISPUTES ARE DISCUSSED. The convention devoted the greater part of the session to discussing various jurisdictional disputes reported by the committee of adjustment.

In the controversy between the International Association of Car Workers and the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen the committee recommended that a conference between the executive officers of the two organizations and the executive council of the Federation be held at an early date.

The recommendation by a committee that the Amalgamated Workers' Interest Union of America and the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, which have been at odds for several years, be compelled to amalgamate before November 1, 1910, was endorsed by the convention. Both organizations are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, but have refused voluntarily to join forces.

PROBABLE CAUSE GIVES ROBBER APPEAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Frank Gorman, the robber, sentenced to fifty years in San Quentin, who was captured after securing \$5000 from the Tompkins Bridge company's office and shooting James Thompson, secured a writ of probable cause this morning from Superior Judge Cahoon. His counsel, Attorney Spannall, is appealing to the district court.

The New Ladies' Home Journal Patterns Now In

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This strictly tailored Suit season finds us with the best assortment of these goods, in the latest models. Among the line you will find the latest creations in three-piece Suits, tailored Suits of the finest imported broadcloths, handsomely embroidered designs, Colors are wisteria, old rose, raspberry, raisin, ashes of roses, etc. Prices from— \$60 to \$125

These Great Specials for Friday Only

50c Way Mufflers, 25c

Five hundred only. Manufacturer's surplus and a few slightly soiled and defective Way Knitted Mufflers. The advertised prices for these are 50c everywhere, but for this day we place on sale every color and size at 25c.

35c and 25c Neckwear

19c

New Ascots, Croats, Jabots, Linen Collars, Rabats, Lace Stocks, etc.; values to 35c. Friday only 19c.

25c 5-inch Taffeta and Satin Taffeta Ribbon, 15c Yd.

1000 yards at this price; fine quality all-silk taffeta and satin taffeta five-inch wide Ribbon; every desirable style; just the thing for hair bows, sashes and fancy work; worth 25c. Friday 15c yard.

ATLANTIC COAST IS UNDEFENDED

Therefore Rear Admiral Sperry Advocates Inland Water Route North and South

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 18.—An inland water route from New England to Florida, especially for torpedo boats, destroyers and submarines, with ample bends for destroyers 205 feet in length, together with the adequate fortification of the cape of Virginia, is absolutely essential for the effective protection of the Atlantic Coast in the event of war. This is the declaration of Rear Admiral C. Sperry, U. S. N., retired, made here today in an address before the Deeper Water Ways Association.

Admiral Sperry said that in the present undefended state of the entrance to Chesapeake Bay, this line of waterways could be cut in two and absolutely blockaded by an enemy.

AT MERCY OF ENEMY. "Not a single gun," said he, "could be brought to bear upon a hostile fleet passing from the capes to the head of Chesapeake Bay, where the great railway bridges are exposed to destruction and an enemy with full liberty to land in safety when he pleases, may also attack or blockade Norfolk, Richmond, Newport News and Baltimore, while his fleet lies comfortably at anchor in Lynnhaven Bay."

Speaking of the immense needs of the proposed coast water ways, Admiral Sperry said, "It seems apparent that a point has been reached where ample water transportation will not only add to the material prosperity, but will also promote that of the railroads themselves."

Fear Astor's Yacht Was Lost in Storm

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The fear that Colonel John Jacob Astor's yacht Nourmahal, with the owner and his son Vincent aboard, may have been disabled in the West Indian hurricane of last week was further increased today by the failure of the various vessels known to be seeking the whereabouts of the missing yacht to report her.

Neither at the New York Maritime Exchange nor at the headquarters here of the United Wireless Company, which sent out a general inquiry for the Astor yacht yesterday, had any word calculated to allay the anxiety of the friends of Colonel Astor been received. The Nourmahal is believed to have left Kingston, Jamaica, in the interval between November 5 and November 10, presumably for Porto Rico, which, with other points in the West Indies, are still cut off from cable communication.

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Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, BRUISED LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature. Refuse Substitutes.

FELON THOUGHT TO BE MURDERER

Slayer of Deputy Sheriff is Located Through Alias Assumed by Father

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—By intercepting letters between W. G. Barr of this city and his son Charles, now serving a sentence in the Colorado penitentiary for having robbed a street car in Pueblo, Detective Redmond of the local police department has identified the son as the alleged murderer of Deputy Sheriff William Larkin, who was shot to death in Humboldt, Nev., last year, and has revealed what is probably the only case on record where a father has assumed an alias to save his son from prison.

The older Barr has been operating a real estate business here for some time under the name of G. T. Southern. When the police of Pueblo sought to

identify the man whom they had arrested there for robbery, Redmond was informed that his father lived here, and search established the fact that Southern is an alias for Barr. The local detective department informed the Colorado officers that their prisoner was wanted in Nevada for murder.

DRUNKEN FARMER VICTIM OF FOOTPADS

John J. Sweeney, a farmer residing near Stockton, reported to the police last night that he was robbed of \$7.50 at Broadway and Seventh streets. Sweeney was intoxicated at the time and the police locked him up for his own protection. His story is being investigated, however. According to him, three men with whom he had been drinking followed him from the saloon and robbed him.

Death of Professor Indicates Suicide

CHAMPAINE, Ill., Nov. 16.—Professor Wilfred C. Wheeler of the University of Illinois, was found dead on the campus of the institution today. A small bottle nearby indicated suicide. Wheeler is believed to have mixed the poison himself, as he was a member of the staff of the chemistry department.

WELL-KNOWN LUTHERAN DEAD. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 18.—Henry S. Boner, for thirty-two years superintendent of the Lutheran Publication Society and one of the best known laymen of that denomination in the country, died here yesterday, aged 78 years.

A Tonic

Make no mistake. Take only these medicines the best doctors endorse. Consult your own doctor freely.

Tired? Just as tired in the morning as at night? Things look dark? Lack nerve power? Just remember this: Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a strong tonic, entirely free from alcohol. It puts red corpuscles into the blood; gives steady, even power to the nerves; strengthens the digestion.

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It's as necessary as bonds and will pay for itself many times over before you give it away.

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\$45.00 Suits will sell at..... \$33.75

Alma Bell, in Fit of Temper, Threatens Life of Sheriff

ACCUSED GIRL IS IN SOLITARY CELL

Official Opposes Her Will and Accused Becomes Violent in Prison

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court, and as the solemn trial which means life or death to her goes on, she sits in front of twelve grave men who are to decide her fate, rearranging the chains at her throat and fingering several other articles of cheap jewelry which she wears with an inconsequential, childish vanity.

Her face is good, though rather ordinary, all of her features except her mouth and eyes, both of which are rather cruel, being regular. She wears nose glasses constantly, but though they soften, they do not hide an expression of keenness and cunning in her eyes which is utterly at variance with her smooth, broad brow and rather generous chin. Her mouth is badly shaped and the lips are slightly compressed, giving a peculiar expression to her entire countenance when she smiles, which is not often.

PHYSICIAN ON STAND.
Little of real importance was brought out at the hearing either yesterday afternoon or this morning. Dr. Warren, the physician who attended Joseph Armes on the night of his death, again took the stand and identified the 32 caliber bullet which he testified he had removed from the dead boy's back after tracing its course through his heart as he lay still and lifeless in the little cabin he had left only an hour before in the best of health and spirits, on the night of the tragedy.

Mrs. M. S. Fitzgerald, the woman to whose house Alma ran after she fired the fatal shot which ended Armes' life, has, it was brought out by the prosecution, left the State though Sheriff McCauley was put on the stand to tell of his efforts to find the woman who was a witness at the preliminary hearing, the inquiry developed little.

TRACE MISSING WOMAN.
J. Wallace, agent for the Southern Pacific company at Newcastle, a little town near here, was able to throw some light on the situation by a statement that the missing woman had on August 4, purchased from him a ticket for Peoria, Kansas, and had instructed him to send her baggage, of which she had considerable, to that place.

Prosecuting Attorney Hamilton, who has been specially retained by the Armes family, then took the stand and in answer to direct questions stated that though he had been unable to gather any absolute proof that Mrs. Fitzgerald had ever reached Kansas, he had satisfied himself that she had left the State and asked permission to introduce into the record of the missing witness' testimony as given at the preliminary hearing.

Attorney Chamberlain was on his feet in an instant with an objection and opposition threatened to become so heated that Judge Arnot instructed the jury to leave the room and they were not recalled until it had been decided by the bench to admit the testimony on its prima facie value, such action being in line with a decision recently handed down by the Supreme Court.

GIRL TENSE AUDITOR.
Hamilton read the woman's statement to the jury, reviving her story told at the former hearing of how Alma Bell had burst into her house on the night of the shooting, crying out in a frenzy of grief.

"I have shot Joe. He is dead, I tell you, and I have killed him."
As the scene was rehearsed the girl's defendant sat straight and still in her chair listening to the voice of the man of law as he brought out point by point, her failure to knock as she entered the Fitzgerald home; her distraught appearance, and last but not least her cry as she fell into her friend's arms.

"Oh I always knew I would do it some day I did everything for that man - I even gave him my money - but he threw me down for Minnie Foster, and I am glad - glad, glad, do you hear, that I killed him. Fitzgerald's testimony brought out the girl's threat to kill herself, and the witness admitted that she had ordered the girl to leave her home; that she did not want to be mixed up in it."

HEARTLESS ADVICE.
"She told me life held nothing for



Alma Bell and her mother and the two little daughters of Mrs. Armes, mother of the youth slain by Alma Bell, who testified today at the trial at Auburn.

her, and that she was going to die before they found her," the woman's testimony read, and her peculiarly heartless response to the distraught girl, which caused considerable unfavorable comment in the court room today.

"Well, don't do anything around here. I don't want to get mixed up in it. You had better leave the place."

Wounded to the heart, like some helpless wild thing, Alma Bell is known to have crept away into the darkness with her lover's dying cries ringing in her ears, to stumble along, going she knew not whither, through the long night hours, to drop at last worn out and exhausted behind the little clump of poison oak just opposite the scene of her crime, where they found her next day with her head hidden in her arms.

TELLS OF CAPTURE.

Sheriff McCauley, in his direct examination by District Attorney Tuttle, told of the girl's apparent indifference when he had discovered her in the bushes.

"I was accompanied by her brothers Joe and Edward, Deputy Sheriff Gum, one of the Armes boys and a man whose identity I do not remember, when we came upon her," the sheriff testified. "Her head was buried in her arms, but when I spoke to her she looked up instantly and offered no resistance when I told her she would have to accompany me."

"Her brother Ed burst out, when he saw her, with the remark: 'For God's sake, Alma, why did you go and do this? I was forced to instruct him that he would not be permitted to scold her.'"

ATTORNEYS WRANGLE.

Attorney Lee Chamberlain made a strenuous effort to prove that this action had not been justified on the sheriff's part, and that the officer had on that night refused to let the girl talk to her

folks. After long argument his objection to the continuation of testimony was overruled and McCauley, continuing said:

"I asked Alma to come and get in the buggy with me, and she did so quietly. On the way to the prison, however, she suddenly grew talkative and related to me the details of the shooting, her trouble with Joe and her devotion of her for a girl she called Minnie Foster."

CONFESSION OF THEAT.

"I asked her what had made her kill him, and she replied: 'I always told Joe Armes that if he threw me down for another woman I would send a bullet through his heart, and now I have done it. I am glad of it, even though I suppose I will have to hang for it in the end. Sister Annie will not be surprised when she hears of this. I have told her about the way Joe was treating me.'"

According to the sheriff he asked the girl's prisoner, who will attempt to show that she gave birth to a child shortly after her incarceration, whether or not she was or ever had been pregnant, and he asserts that she told him that she had not.

This is a strong bit of evidence and will be made the most of by the prosecution, who have evidence which they expect to spring that Alma Bell was never in the delicate condition for which she holds the murdered man responsible.

RIVAL ENJOYS ATTENTION.

"Minnie Foster, the sixteen-year-old girl referred to in the testimony, was in court all day and seemed to enjoy the attention she attracted. Dressed in a blue suit with a hat of bright green velvet, she is usually accompanied by her mother, both of them sitting in the place reserved for the Armes family. According to the story of the shooting the Foster girl was in the public gaze as 'the woman in the case,' becomes more and more evident, and only her extreme youth and inexperience save her from absolute boldness.

GIRL SNEERS AT PRISONER.

In the court room she looks frequently at Alma Bell, but she is never the slightest pity in her gaze, and as it was brought out today that the modest girl had begged Armes to give her (Minnie) up, she turned sneeringly aside, and a moment after remarked to me with apparent relish:

"Geel Ain't it awful?"

That Mrs. Bell, the accused girl's mother, is surprised by the developments of the trial there can be no doubt. Evidently Alma has not told her half of the details leading up to the crime, and as point after point reflecting on her daughter's honor is brought out, the aged woman turns frequently to her sons with a little, mute despairing gesture, pitiful in its expression of the futility of her own faith and trust.

ARMES' MOTHER THREATENED.

Mrs. Armes, the mother of the murdered youth, spent a long, weary night sitting by the fire in her home with the smaller children around her as her sons patrolled the premises around the house. This precaution is the result of several threatening letters which are reaching the aged woman daily, threatening her with death in the event that she does not drop her efforts to secure the conviction of Alma Bell.

Her communications are signed "The Black Hand," and "The White Caps," characteristic excerpts from the letters are: "You son of a bitch, and your mother you have no right to prosecute a defenseless girl." And again: "Remember you have daughters in the same trouble. We are watching you, so beware."

D. D. Walker, a Los Angeles millionaire, today joined the ranks of Alma Bell's sympathizers when he forwarded to the sheriff's office a letter containing a check for \$100 to be used in her defense.

From the line of questioning introduced at the Alma Bell trial this morning, it is evident that self-defense would be one of the defenses of the girl charged with the murder of Joe Armes.

If the contention that the pistol used by Alma Bell exploded accidentally, while she was trying to protect herself will not conflict with the other defense of temporary insanity, that will be used in an endeavor to clear the defendant of the charge.

The self-defense plea is a new feature

DIVORCES GIVEN TO THREE WIVES

Theater Attache, Nevada Dentist and Shoe Clerk All Abused Their Spouses

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Eva Grimes, the wife of William L. Grimes, an employee of the Orpheum Theater, filed a suit for divorce this morning. She declares that her spouse has been guilty of extreme cruelty toward her, and cites one instance, when they were living on Harrison street in Oakland, when he knocked her against a wall, and again, when she did not comply with sufficient speed to his demand that she cook his breakfast, he threw the contents of a beer glass at her. He also called her "a post," she asks leave to resume her maiden name, Mrs. Strider.

Ellen J. Forshee, the wife of Frank Forshee, a dentist of Nevada, was granted a divorce this morning on the grounds of wilful neglect, by Superior Judge Stewart.

Because her husband, George J. Kohn, a shoe clerk, was in the habit of pinching her at all times, whether at meals, in bed or at the theater, Mrs. Rachael Kohn secured a divorce from him in Judge Chanise court today.

WELLS-FARGO INCREASES ITS CAPITAL \$16,000,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Wells-Fargo & Co. announced today an increase in the capital stock of the company from \$6,000,000 to \$22,000,000. The new issue of \$16,000,000 is to be offered to stockholders, to whom a stock dividend of \$5 a share is to be declared.

DIVIDEND CASE GOES OVER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—The matter of the declaring of a dividend in connection with the California Safe Deposit & Trust Company came up in Judge Sewall's court this morning. It was continued until Monday at the request of Receiver Edward Le Breton.

of the case and was commented upon today.

Alma Bell is now receiving money from outside sources. She received a check of thirty letters yesterday and fifteen more today. Many of them containing money orders. Last night an order for \$100 was received from a Santa Barbara man, who was paid by the paper comes to her daily. This is a favorite method of expression used by her numerous correspondents.

The prosecution laid the foundation yesterday for the introduction as evidence of the confession made by Alma Bell to Sheriff McCauley. It also is seeking to prove by several witnesses examined today that Alma Bell was never engaged to Armes.

Joe Garcia testified this morning that he told Joe Armes several weeks before the killing that Alma Bell intended to kill him if he threw her down. Joe replied at the time that Alma had not nerve enough to kill a fly.

Constable Colwell of Newcastle testified that he had found at the Armes residence a suit case belonging to Alma Bell, which contained a revolver and a letter. Frank Peters and C. I. Castro testified regarding threats to kill Joe Armes if he deserted her which he declared had been made by Alma Bell.

CHILDREN ON STAND.

Just before noon two interesting witnesses were on the stand, the Evelyn Armes, aged ten years, and Grace Armes, eight years of age, sisters of the murdered man. They told of having been with Alma Bell at their home on the day before the tragedy, when she had written a letter to her mother, and then they testified that she was going to kill Joe Armes because he had come between them. The children were not cross-examined.

Consumption Statistics.
prove that a neglected cold or cough puts the lungs in so bad a condition that consumption germs find a fertile field for fastening on. Stop the cough just as soon as it appears with Ballard's Kidney and Bladder Pills. The pills are sold by Druggists and make you well again. Sold by Woodward's Drug Store, Cor. 10th and Washington.

MURDERER CAUGHT AFTER LONG QUEST

San Francisco Detective Discovers Slayer of Colorado Deputy Sheriff

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—After nearly a year's search, Charles Barr, the murderer of Special Deputy Sheriff William Larkin of Humboldt, Nevada, for whom a reward of \$1000 was offered, has been found through the clever detective work of Detective Redmond of the local force.

Barr, believing that Larkin had informed Sheriff Lamb regarding a horse thieving episode of his pal, Taylor, shot and killed the deputy sheriff on December, 1908. He escaped and the county offered \$500 and the widow of the murdered man \$700 more for his arrest.

Some time ago a hold-up was committed in Pueblo, Colorado, and a man named Collins who was taken into custody seemed extremely anxious to go to jail without question.

The authorities became suspicious of his willingness to plead guilty, and spread the news of his arrest broadcast. It was learned here that he had directed a letter to a man named Southern and Detective Redmond waited for Southern to call at the local post office. When he appeared he proved to be none other than Charles Barr, of 2006 Golden Gate avenue, father of the much-wanted man, and a local manufacturer's agent.

Meantime, the son had been sentenced to fourteen years under the name of Collins for the car hold-up in Pueblo, but it is thought he will be taken to Humboldt today to be tried for murder, as the evidence is strong against him.

SUGAR SCANDAL REACHES A CRISIS

New York Federal Grand Jury Believed to Have Returned Indictments

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The crisis precipitated in the customs service at the first to lead the prosecution made by former government employees in the weighing and sampling of sugar imports, reached an acute stage today. The house cleaning which Collector Loring is preparing to inaugurate is believed to be those customs employees other than those having to do with the sugar fraud, and the committee in charge are certain that when the doors close tonight they will have attained their object, with money to spare.

The committee in charge and the respective booths are as follows: Fancy table, Miss Pearl Little; apron booth, Mrs. Retta Marshall; candy booth, Miss May Bateaux; mysteries, Mrs. T. Mason; home cooking, Mrs. V. Woods; refreshments, Mrs. Clara Doty.

Fruitvale Temple has the honor this year of having the D. D. O. C. for district No. 4. The office is held by Mrs. Retta Marshall, and is considered a high honor.

NO WEDDING BELLS FOR BERKELEY GIRL

Breaks Engagement to Man From Washington on Eve of Marriage

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would be attended by a friend from Washington and that immediately after the wedding the couple would leave for their future home in Washington.

WHAT'S THE REASON?
All interested friends are convinced that there is some strong reason back of the postponement, such as would be sufficient to cause a change of plans on the eve of going to the altar. What this reason is will never be known, they say, and when time has obliterated the surprise and curiosity over the announcement of yesterday, it will become known that the engagement is off for all time.

Miss Ferrin lives with her family at 3022 Benvenue avenue, Berkeley, and has been a prominent member of the college town's most exclusive social and musical circles. Her engagement to Mr. Thatcher was announced about two months ago and since then she has been the honor guest at many of the smartest social functions held in this city this season.

PRESIDENT OF CLUB.
Miss Ferrin was last year president of the Etude Club, an exclusive organization of musicians of Berkeley and Oakland, and is regarded as one of the bright particular stars of the club, being a violinist of unusual talent. She has frequently appeared at public and society entertainments in the role of virtuoso. She is a young woman of much personal charm and is popular in a wide circle of friends. The Etude Club tendered her a reception last Friday at the home of Mrs. William H. Wadsworth in North Berkeley, on which occasion the club presented her several pieces of hammered silver.

Miss Stella Hoag, one of her bridal attendants, was a recent hostess at a shower in her honor, and she has been the recipient of numerous wedding gifts.

Young Bank Robbers Get Long Sentences

SAN JOSE, Nov. 18.—This morning in the Superior Court Frank Smith and Leo Nevins, bank robbers, were sentenced, the former to serve life in San Quentin prison, and the latter four years. Smith was identified by two of the bank officials at Everett, Wash., as the youth who robbed a bank in that town a year or more ago of \$1000 after shooting the cashier. The youth on the third of last August held up the Valley Bank at Santa Clara, and started off in an automobile with \$7215 in coin, but were soon captured with their loot.

Girl Charges \$25,000 For One "Soul Kiss"

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Nov. 18.—An alleged diabolical scandal is the basis of a damages suit for \$25,000 filed by Marie Guerin of this city. The defendant is Dr. Theodore E. Sands, a prominent physician.

Miss Guerin alleged in her complaint that the physician kissed her on the cheek so fervently that an abscess was caused under her arm and several operations were necessary.

The filing of the suit caused a sensation among the friends of the contestants.

DOCTOR SUED FOR ALLEGED MALPRACTICE

Dr. C. W. Brownson, a leading and pioneer physician of Alameda, is sued for \$50,000 in an action instituted in the Superior Court this morning by Attorney A. R. Surr, in behalf of A. R. Miller of Alameda, who also appears as counsel for his two minor children, Minnie Alma and La Verne Virginia Miller.

Damages are claimed on account of the death of the wife and mother, which the physician claimed was caused by the negligence and wrongful acts of the defendant physician.

The allegations as set forth are that on September 1, Dr. Brownson was called in to attend Mrs. Miller, who was suffering from an abscess on the neck, which he diagnosed as blood poisoning. He performed an operation upon the abscessed part from which, it is asserted, fatal consequences resulted, as it was afterwards determined to be a case of erysipelas.

The woman died several days after the operation.

MINOR ACCIDENTS KEEP HOSPITAL STEWARD BUSY

This morning, by coincidence, everything came "right" with Steward Ward at the Receiving Hospital.

In the first to lead the procession was John Euler, a lumber handler, with a sprained right ankle, caused by a pile of lumber in the Sunset Company's yard falling on his foot. He gave his address as 1815 Webster, Alameda.

Next in the procession was a boy, ran a fall into the palm of his right hand.

Andrew Heymann, a teamster living at 1644 Eighth street, got the second stage of his right hand jammed between two trunks.

Then came a variation from the monotony of the order with L. J. McGowan, with a severe laceration on the top of his head, which was inflicted by a hatchet falling upon him from a scaffolding above, where he was working. He gave his address as 120 Wayne avenue.

NIGHT PROWLER THROWS AWAY STOLEN PROPERTY

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—An unknown man threw away a suitcase containing a quantity of stolen razors and "geel" around at Fifth street and Telegraph last night. Special Policemen George Turner endeavored to capture him but was unsuccessful.

ANNEXATION WILL NOT BE AN ACTUAL FACT UNTIL DECEMBER 7TH

(By JOHN W. STETSON, City Attorney.)

Annexation will not be an actual fact until December 7. While the election was carried there are yet official steps to be taken which will postpone the actual entry of the new territory into Oakland for a little over three weeks. The administration will, however, not falter because the outlying districts are not an integral part of Oakland, but will proceed with the various projects that have for their object the cementing of the various communities into a harmonious whole.

Thus far we have only the unofficial returns. It will be necessary for the City Council to canvass the votes at the next regular meeting which occurs on December 8. The next day the certificate of the City Clerk setting forth the vote will be forwarded to the Secretary of State which, when filed by that official will make the annexation complete. The administration will not, however, wait for the actual completion of the annexation, but will proceed with the measures designed for the solidification of the various communities.

In respect to the bonds the council will canvass the returns next Monday night. The law does not specify that a bond election must be canvassed at a regular meeting of the council, so we can proceed with the canvass next Monday night and get the projects of building a new city hall and wharves along the water front in full swing without delay.

OAKLAND
Orpheum
22th and Clay Sts.
WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY MATINEE, NOVEMBER 14TH.
MATINEE EVERY DAY:

Another Notice
The ladies and children of Oakland are respectfully notified by the Oakland Orpheum management that Charles the First, the wonderful man monkey, who is now creating such a tremendous sensation at the theater, will hold daily receptions on the stage at all of the matinees next week, beginning Sunday, November 21. Charles the First will meet you on the stage after his performance at the daily matinees next week. He will shake hands with all comers and will give to all at these receptions souvenir portraits of himself.

The engagement of Charles the First will positively terminate at the Oakland Orpheum on Saturday, November 27th. The prices remain the same.

By E. CURTIS—
The Splendid Furnishings of the SAVOY ANNEX HOTEL-60 ROOMS
BY ORDER AND FOR ACCOUNT OF THE SAVOY-ANNEX COMPANY.
REMOVED FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE TO
THE CURTIS STUDIO, VAN NESS AT PINE
FIRST SALE-CONTENTS OF 25 ROOMS WILL BE MADE
TO-MORROW
FRIDAY NOVEMBER 19, 1909, AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.
EVERYTHING ALMOST NEW, AND HIGH GRADE.
Fine Colonial Mahogany Dressers and Chiffoniers, Mahogany Chairs, Tables and Rockers, each with column Smith & Davis Brass Beds (the sixty dollar kind), Metal Frame Springs (cost ten dollars a piece wholesale), Marshall Imperial Ventilated Hair Mattresses (cost fifty dollars each), Marcellus Spreads, Mission Blankets, Feather Pillows, Comforts, Sheets, Ladies' Deaks in Mahogany, Polished Oak Dressers, Chairs, Tables, Rockers and Morris Chairs, Novelty Desk, Davenport Sofa Beds, genuine Jacob Kohn Vienna Chairs, Radiators, Psyche Mirrors, Drumhead Couches, Sheffield Platters with covers, Leather Trimmed Velour Portieres, Axminster and Body Carpets and Rugs in various sizes and hundreds of other high grade goods. Now on view. Terms cash.
E. CURTIS, Auctioneer.

SCROFULA
Scrofula disfigures and causes life-long misery. Children become strong and lively when given small doses of
Scott's Emulsion
every day. The starved body is fed; the swollen glands healed, and the tainted blood vitalized. Good food, fresh air and Scott's Emulsion conquer scrofula and many other blood diseases.
FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS
Beware of cheap imitations. Get the Emulsion with the fisherman on the label. Made in Scotland. Scott & Bowne, Ltd., London, England.

Sample Hats SPECIAL
\$3.95 1 \$4.95
Ladies' Trimmed Hats, extraordinary values. Design the latest, materials correct.
NEW YORK Sample Millinery
Room 119, Westbank Bldg., 530 Market St., near 12th, San Francisco.

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THIMBLE CLUB BAZAAR WILL CLOSE TONIGHT
FRUITVALE, Nov. 18.—The bazaar given by the G. B. Thimble Club of Pythian Sisters, Fruitvale Temple No. 36, will close tonight. Its object was to raise sufficient funds to purchase silverware and dishes for their temple in this city. It has been a very successful affair and the committee in charge are certain that when the doors close tonight they will have attained their object, with money to spare.
The committee in charge and the respective booths are as follows: Fancy table, Miss Pearl Little; apron booth, Mrs. Retta Marshall; candy booth, Miss May Bateaux; mysteries, Mrs. T. Mason; home cooking, Mrs. V. Woods; refreshments, Mrs. Clara Doty.
Fruitvale Temple has the honor this year of having the D. D. O. C. for district No. 4. The office is held by Mrs. Retta Marshall, and is considered a high honor.

Cherry Colliery Calamity.

The awful catastrophe at the Cherry, Illinois, colliery, in which the lives of several hundred miners have been sacrificed carries with it an impressive lesson which it would be criminal for the mining world to overlook, and that is that no mine should be permitted to be operated with only one opening communicating with the various levels. Apparently this was the condition of the Cherry colliery. As the fire entered the mine through this shaft, the only avenue of escape for the approximately four hundred miners at work underground was cut off. The effort which was instantly made to smother the fire and thus extinguish it meant also the probable suffocation at once of the unfortunate men entrapped like rats in a hole with but one exit. The exclusion of the air from the mine extinguished their lives as certainly as it extinguished the flames. Apparently there was no other remedy to apply under the circumstances and the chance had to be taken of the entombed miners having obtained refuge in some remote points in the underground workings where enough air remained to sustain life for a brief period, in the hope that rescue parties might reach them.

The question which forces itself to the front is: How many mines in the country are being operated today with only one available opening to all parts of the underground workings? How many mines are there on the Pacific Coast which are being thus operated? Coming nearer home, how many mines are being worked in California with only one means of exit? It is a question which the Cherry colliery calamity brings directly home to every mine-owner, and it brands whoever continues to operate mining property under such conditions as guilty of the grossest rashness and the gravest criminal neglect.

Hon. Andy Wilson is on the anxious seat. He is an immunity contract boodler who failed to make his testimony fit the opening statement of Francis J. Heney in the Ford trial. Heney promptly adjourned the trial and had Wilson indicted by the Grand Jury despite his written contract of immunity. Then Wilson recanted the testimony he had originally given and swore to everything the prosecution desired. He was forgiven by Heney, but the indictment against him has never been dismissed. As Heney is no longer Assistant District Attorney and Langdon is soon to go out of office, Wilson is anxious to have the indictment quashed, in which event he will be safe under the aegis of the statute of limitations. But Langdon manifests a belated reluctance to finishing up Heney's dirty work, and may leave Wilson to the tender mercies of the new District Attorney. Wilson is a despicable person, being not only a self-confessed boodler, but an admitted perjurer. It is some comfort to see him in terror of suffering the punishment he so richly deserves.

Sir Thomas Lipton manages to keep himself in the limelight as the prospective challenger for the American cup and at the same time escape the responsibilities of an actual challenge. The sporting baronet had to inform the stockholders of his corporation at an annual meeting that the cost of the three Shamrocks which had competed unsuccessfully for the international yachting trophy had been charged up against the advertising account of the corporation and he maintained the advertisement had been a very profitable one. He is now getting a lot of advertising without spending a sum of money for yacht building, and inasmuch as he says it is now too late to challenge for 1910, he will delay it until 1911. That assures Lipton a free world-wide ad for a whole year.

THE TRIBUNE requests the patience of its subscribers for a few days with temporary delays in delivery.

We have just put in a new Hoe press with a capacity of 36,000 an hour, and difficulties in adjustment have compelled stoppages that have delayed printing the edition. The new press has only been operated twice, and hence is not running smoothly.

When this magnificent machine, the most modern thing in printing devices, is in perfect running order, THE TRIBUNE will be able to supply its subscribers more expeditiously than before. Its press room facilities will not be surpassed by any newspaper west of Chicago.

In the meantime we beg the patient indulgence of our readers till the new press is thoroughly adjusted to its work.

Oakland will celebrate Thanksgiving Day this year with peculiar feelings of exultation. We have abundant reason to give thanks, not only for the blessings of Providence, but the material benefits we enjoy in the present and the larger ones assured to us in the future.

The British House of Lords says the land tax proposed by the Liberal government is revolutionary. So it is; it revolutionizes the feudal idea that labor and not land should be taxed.

Berkeley, Alameda and Piedmont appear to be getting ready to make it all hands round. Glory be!

The Chronicle says Gillett is likely to run for Governor again. If he does he will break the precedent of non-succession in the gubernatorial office. This is not intended as an affront to George C. Pardee.

Mr. Calvin B. Brown has come to California from New York as a missionary for currency reform. Who is contributing to the missionary fund?

British Lords Invite Their Doom.

Lord Lansdowne, the son of the late Marquis of Salisbury, and cousin of Balfour, who succeeded Salisbury as premier, as leader of the British House of Lords, shot off his bolt against the present Asquith-Lloyd George government on Tuesday by giving formal notice to the peers that he would introduce a motion to reject the budget adopted by the House of Commons on the ground that it is not justified in giving its consent to the bill, until it has been submitted to the judgment of the country. It is an empty bluff, of course, for two reasons. In the first place, the revenues are being collected for the fiscal year on the basis of the budget, and so far as the current fiscal year is concerned, it makes no difference whether the budget passes the House of Lords or not. It became law virtually when the Commons approved it, and the right of the Lords to amend or reject it is in controversy. In the second place, it is a well-known fact that the government intends dissolving parliament as soon as the Lords shall have acted on the budget, not for the express purpose of getting the electorate to pass judgment on that measure, but for the purpose of appealing to the people direct as to whether or not the upper house shall be reorganized and stripped of the fiction of the power of vetoing any measure affecting which, through its opposition to the budget, it is trying to re-establish after being deprived of it for several centuries. Lansdowne's game is to force the issue on the budget, as a socialistic and revolutionary measure, and sidetrack the issue of reorganizing the House of Lords.

The game has already been forestalled, however, and while it is represented that Lansdowne's motion will carry by a vote of 300 to 40, it will avail nothing. The government has already taken time by the forelock and prepared the electorate to meet the real issue. Not only was it expressed in the Newcastle-on-Tyne speech of Lloyd George, which Asquith has since approved, but it has within the past few days been supplemented by a Liberal manifesto issued by Winston Spencer Churchill, another member of the cabinet, in the form of a letter on the situation claiming that the power to dissolve parliament is the prerogative of the crown, which the Lords are attempting to usurp, and that the question of finance is a privilege vested exclusively in the Commons. If it were otherwise, as Churchill points out clearly, the Lords would be able to block the revenues and force the dissolution of parliament every year on the question of the budget. That would mean government by a hereditary titled class and not by the people, and the total destruction of the power of the latter as represented in the House of Commons. Of course, that usurpation of power will be emphatically stopped by the voice of the people if parliament is dissolved and a general election is called.

It is in the power of Asquith to refuse to submit to the dictum of the Lords. With the enormous majority in the Commons supporting him and public sentiment backing his policies, he may adopt other tactics—namely, refuse to dissolve parliament, repass the budget, if returned without the consent of the Lords, and send it back to the latter with the intimation that enough new peers will be created to assure its passage, or introduce a bill in the Commons providing for the reorganization of the upper house at once and appealing to the country later in the event of the failure of the measure. No veto of the House of Lords can affect the standing of any ministry. And, for that matter, Beaconsfield established a precedent by refusing to abdicate the office of premier or dissolve parliament when a government measure was defeated in the Commons. At the present time, however, it looks as if the House of Lords was, under Lansdowne's leadership, inviting its own death warrant.

The opening of Washington street to San Pablo avenue will be incidental to the erection of a new city hall. This is an improvement THE TRIBUNE has earnestly advocated for many years, and rejoices now that it is at last to be consummated. The opening of Washington street is now a greater necessity than it has been heretofore, made so by the growing congestion at the intersection of Broadway and Fourteenth street. Ere long a new car line will be established on New Broadway north of the Claremont Club, which will increase the congestion at Fourteenth and Broadway. The new line will probably be built by the time the new city hall is completed and Washington street opened to traffic. Thus one improvement follows another and the growing needs of the city provided for.

Oakland has no desire to annex Berkeley and Alameda. What the people of this city propose is that our sister municipalities should merge with Oakland and form one great city governed under a charter that will work to the greatest advantage of all the units composing the municipal structure. The chief essential is to get rid of the cumbersome and expensive parochial system of government now prevailing, and the parochial spirit it engenders, and mobilize civic aspiration for development along broader lines.

Gifford Pinchot manifests a disposition to sever his political connection with Heney, Glavis, La Follette and other Ballinger baiters, and hold on to his job. He gives it out that he is no longer playing cue boy for disappointed politicians with a grouse against the Taft administration.

"An' the Goblin Will Get You if You Don't Watch Out"



ODD WAY OF Earning Living

Six men sitting in chairs in the corridor in front of the land office are earning a livelihood in about as unique a manner as could be imagined. Each of these men draws \$75 a month for sitting in his chair eight hours a day and doing nothing.

The six men, or other men in their places, have been sitting there every day since Col. Bryan came to Phoenix; and they will continue to sit there till December 2, when the land their employers are simply holding places in the line so that the two companies which employ them will be first at the land office when the 24 sections which they are after are thrown open.—Albuquerque Tribune. Citizen.

Hurrah for Oakland!

The awarding of a contract to the Oakland shipyard of Scott & Moore to build a six-hundred-ton steel collier is a great boost for Oakland harbor as well as for Oakland's steady industrial growth, says the Tribune. It is worthy of note that most of the shipyards in San Francisco bay are now located on the shores of Oakland harbor, and they are growing in importance each successive year. Oakland is destined to become at an early day the Clyde of the Pacific Coast.—Placerville Republican.

Pointed Paragraphs

Many people are made giddy by the social whirl.

Sometimes an easy-going person is hard to get rid of.

But the thin girl usually has a shapely ankle to be proud of.

Another love affair is the best cement for a broken heart.

If you want a thing well done, hire some one to do it who knows how.

It's easy to have a good opinion of people you don't know very well.

A pretty girl is eagerly listened to, even though she says nothing when she talks.

It is human nature to act inhumanly occasionally.

How many men do you know who do just as they please?

There are lots of great men—until you get close to them.

Topics Timely and Interesting

When President Taft was out in California recently his launch stuck hard on a mud bank near the landing at San Pedro. Nobody—not even an opposition newspaper—was mean enough to ascribe the mishap to the jolly Chief Magistrate's great bulk. But it reminded a man who had been a guest at one of Mr. Roosevelt's White House dinners of this story, told by the host: "When I started for Panama, on the same warship that Taft had traveled on, I noticed a slight list to starboard. I called the captain in and asked him how it happened that we were not running on an even keel. He was somewhat embarrassed, but I told him to 'cut with it' and he came back with this: 'Well, Mr. President, the Secretary of War sailed with us not long ago, and he slept on the port side. And—and—well, sir, we haven't had a chance yet to shift ballast.'"

"One of the things that have gone from this department," said an oldtime police lieutenant recently, "is the 'Brynes derby'." In the old days the inspector wore with his civilian clothes a certain shaped derby hat, which was always a distinguishing feature of his dress. Soon the department began to copy the boss's style of headgear, and it became almost like an article of uniform all through the force. No detective was considered complete without a hat shaped like the

Humorous Snapshots

"And this," said the young man who was showing his country relatives through the Museum of Art, "is a replica of the Venus de Milo."

"Gosh!" said his Uncle Amasa, "she was a good looking, all right. Wa'n't never married, was she?"

"No, I don't believe she ever was."

"I s'pose, he'n' armless and not havin' a husband to hook up her clo's, she simply had to dress that way, no matter whether she liked it or not."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"Why are you so indolent?" demanded the stern parent. "You don't see me letting the grass grow under my feet."

"No," replied the son, "if you had let some grass grow under your feet you wouldn't be so near having it grow over your head."—Philadelphia Record.

Oakland Takes Another Step in Advance

San Francisco Call, November 18.

Oakland has taken one more long step forward, following up the line of progress indicated by the virtually unanimous vote to borrow large sums of money for the improvement of its water front, the erection of public buildings and the installation of modern municipal apparatus.

Things are moving at a rapid pace in Oakland and the impetus inspires admiration as well as confidence. The united spirit of the citizens moves with tremendous force on the goal. The city has now by the vote of Tuesday added an impressive area of valuable territory to its charter limits with a corresponding gain of population and taxable property.

Oakland thus becomes a city of the very first rank in name as well as in fact. Of course, this is only the natural accretion of affiliated territory. The real Oakland was just as big in point of population as it is today by reason of the annexations. The extension of the charter line only includes communities that naturally and geographically have belonged to Oakland from the beginning. The extensive annexations are merely a phase of legitimate municipal evolution.

Again The Call offers congratulations to the people of Greater Oakland for the united spirit of progress of which this week's elections have given such striking evidence.

Hearst's Definition of a Reformer

(From the Houston Daily "Post.")

The "Post" has not hesitated to criticize Mr. William Randolph Hearst when it believed him in error, but there is plenty of good about him, and it is a pleasure to commend him when he sounds a note of warning that the people ought to heed. During the recent Majority campaign in New York he addressed a gathering of German-Americans and used the following language: "Do not get the vaguest or slightest impression from this little Sunday sermon of mine that I am a narrow man or a reformer. I am not. I define a reformer as a man who does what he wants to do and tries to prevent other people from doing what they want to do. I try merely to be a good citizen and define a good citizen as a man who tries to secure for his fellow citizens every right, every liberty, every advantage that he desires for himself."

Mr. Hearst's definition of a reformer is epigrammatic and true to life, and his definition of a good citizen, while a generalization, is almost of equal value.

SPIDER WEB AS A STYPTIC

A spider's web, an old cure for bleeding, is an uncanny application, as it is generally procured from the most neglected corner in a room, and is consequently laden with dust.

The earliest reference to this remedy in our language seems to be in a translation of that curious encyclopedic work of the Middle Ages, "The Properties of Things," where we read: "Copea webbe that is white and cleane, stauncheth blood." But as I have seen it applied to a cut finger I have been anything but white and clean. There is another reference in Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream," when Bottom, the weaver, says to the fairy Cobweb, "I shall desire of you more acquaintance, good master Cobweb; if I cut my finger I shall make bold with you."

As a styptic, however, it must be acknowledged a spider's web is somewhat effective. In a case of excessive hemorrhage after the extraction of a tooth, a dentist applied a cobweb with most satisfactory results.—Hospital.

Income of Royal Family in Greece

If King George of Greece is compelled to abdicate he will not lose a very magnificent civil list, for the thrifty Greek pays only 50,000 pounds a year for the maintenance of the whole royal family, and of this amount 5000 pounds is earmarked for the household of the Duke of Sparta.

The governments of Great Britain, France and Russia add 4000 pounds each to the national contributions, but even with this addition King George's allowance is only slightly in excess of that drawn by the Norwegian monarch, who has only one child to maintain, while his uncle at Athens has six.—Tit Bits.

Promotion for Officers

During the coming year President Taft will appoint from a list of officers who have been recommended by the War Department to the rank of brigadier general, and a chief of engineers of the army.

Colonel J. G. D. Knight will retire as a brigadier general on January 24. He will attain the rank of brigadier general next Saturday, when Brigadier General William H. Carter becomes major general through the retirement of Major General John F. Weston, who will be transferred to the retired list on that day. At the age of 64 years. On March 14, 1910, Brigadier General Charles Morton will retire, because of the age limitation and on November 14, 1910, Brigadier General Albert L. Myer will be transferred to the retired list for the same reason. Brigadier General William L. Marshall, chief of engineers, will retire June 11, 1910, at the age of 64 years.

Speculation is rife concerning the selection of the first of the brigadiers in January. There is a feeling among the officers at the War Department that the President will be guided by two considerations in the selection, the seniority of officers eligible, and the recognition of the various arms of the service. This would throw the balance to the cavalry branch. In addition to the regular recognition, the choice of a cavalry officer would be in order if seniority is adhered to. Colonels Charles A. Hatfield, Thirteenth cavalry, Joseph H. Dorst, Ninth cavalry, and George S. Anderson, Ninth cavalry, all are, relatively, senior in rank to the senior colonel of infantry, Colonel Daniel Corman, Seventh infantry.

The officer most prominently mentioned as the successor to General Marshall in World.

CORELESS AND SEEDLESS

Coreless as well as seedless are the apples produced on a single tree of unknown variety in an eight-acre orchard at Moran Prairie, 5 miles north of Spokane, owned by B. K. Short, a rancher.

The largest of the fruit is three inches in diameter, the coloring being of a yellowish green, streaked with red. The apples have deep pink cheeks, and the firm flesh is of excellent flavor. The tree is between twelve and fifteen years old, and is growing in subprized soil at an altitude of 2225 feet. Short does not claim credit for developing the new apple, declaring it is a freak of nature.

Seven of the apples were brought to the offices of the National Apple Show in Spokane and quartered in the presence of Ben H. Rice, secretary-manager; Prof. August von Holdrebe, formerly State commissioner of horticulture of Washington, and several growers from various parts of the Northwest, but none was able to classify the fruit.—New York

A Greater Oakland Has Now Been Accomplished by Immense Vote

San Francisco Chronicle, November 18.

By an almost unanimous vote in old Oakland and a vote of more than 5 to 2 in the new territory the city of Oakland has more than doubled its area and acquired room for much more than doubling its population, which we trust it may soon do. The annexation seems to have been made on fair terms as concerns the matter of outstanding indebtedness, and there is no doubt that the ante-nuptial agreements which may not have legal force will be faithfully carried out by the enlarged city.

There can be no question of the wisdom of the political consolidation of the entire area of an industrial and commercial community. It is not necessarily the surrender by the minor units of plans and usages to which they are attached. Those can always be left to local control under the borough system. But in such matters as police, sanitation and water supply the interests of the greater area are identical and should be under unified control. Unification of educational control may be less vital, but is very important. A great city can provide educational advantages which are wholly beyond the means of smaller units. It is probable that no such change of government can occur without some friction, but when matters get adjusted all are better off and more contented.

The economic influences which cause consolidation in business are equally potent, and are becoming equally effective in the management of urban affairs. There is in the consolidated city greater economy, greater comfort and greater efficiency. Not the least—possibly the greatest—advantage to the residents of the minor units is the benefit which they get from the advertising of the larger city. A multitude of people know about Oakland. Very few, indeed, outside of this immediate vicinity, know about Fruitvale and Melrose. These outlying districts at once come into possession of the benefit of the name of Oakland, and all the people of the consolidated city benefit by the greater effectiveness with which their joint interests can be managed and the greater consolidation always given to a large city.

SCHOOL days are the days when most of the important habits of life are formed. Teach your children the daily use of

Dr. Lyon's
PERFECT
Tooth Powder

and they will some day rise to call you blessed. It cleanses, beautifies and preserves the teeth and imparts purity and fragrance to the breath.

HELPFUL WORDS

From an Oakland Citizen.

Is your back lame and painful? Does it ache, especially after exertion? Is there a soreness in the kidney region?

These symptoms indicate weak kidneys. There is danger in delay.

Weak kidneys fast get weaker. Give your trouble prompt attention.

Doan's Kidney Pills act quickly. Then strengthen weak kidneys.

Read this Oakland testimony:

Mrs. Wm. Thompson, 710 Market st., Oakland, Cal., says: "The results that followed the use of Doan's Kidney Pills in our family were most satisfactory. Both my husband and myself had slight symptoms of kidney complaint, which, although not serious, gave us great annoyance. We had heard of Doan's Kidney Pills being good for such complaints and finally procured a box. They went directly to the seat of the trouble and soon brought me relief. They also helped my husband from the first and it was not long before he was cured. We are both in good health now and attribute it solely to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

QUITS SOCIETY

FOR FOOTLIGHTS

Miss Margaret M. Medbury

Makes Debut as Professional Actress at Ye Liberty

The company at Ye Liberty Theater has recently been augmented by a charming young lady in the person of Miss Margaret M. Medbury, daughter of Mr. F. Medbury, a prominent Oakland capitalist and relative of Mrs. Bradley Martin of New York and London. Unknown to her friends, Miss Medbury, herself a society favorite, has been appearing nightly for the last three weeks in a part in "The Rose of the Rancho."

She is an enthusiastic worker and her love for the glamor of the footlights has induced her to cast aside social triumphs. Her ambition is centered in the stage and on the stage she says she intends to remain.

PARENTS OBJECTED.

Miss Medbury has a hard time inducing her parents to consent to her going on the stage. They interposed the usual objections and advanced the time-honored arguments against such a career, but when all was done and said the young woman simply reiterated her intentions and finally the father and mother yielded. Then Miss Medbury kissed society farewell and launched out as a professional actress.

"I know what this step means," she is quoted as having said to her friends. "It means a hard struggle, but as I have health and ambition, I believe I will succeed. I like the work and intend to do my best."

AN ACCOMPLISHED MUSICIAN.

Although a resident of Oakland, Miss Medbury has spent a great deal of her time in traveling. She is an accomplished pianist and a fine singer. She was named after Mrs. Bradley Martin and among her other relatives is Ambassador Phelps, who represents the Washington Government at the court of the Emperor of Russia.

CALLS FOR CONDITION

OF NATIONAL BANKS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The Comptroller of the Currency issued today a call for the condition of business of national banks to the close of business November 16, 1909.

NEW SLEEPER THROUGH

TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

A new personally conducted excursion car now leaves Oakland 16th street depot at 10:54 a. m. every Thursday, via the San Joaquin valley, in charge of an experienced excursion conductor. The car travels the Sunny South, through orange and lemon groves and a great many points of interest, and should prove a great comfort in the transcontinental journey. For further information see Southern Pacific Co. corner 15th and Franklin sts., or agents.

A Hair's Breadth Escape.

Do you know that very time you have a cough or cold and let it run on, thinking it will just cure itself you are inviting pneumonia, consumption, or some other pulmonary trouble? Don't risk it. Put your lungs back in perfect health and stop that cough with "Hildard's" Honey-Syrup. Sold by "Wishart's" Drug Store, Cor. 10th and Washington.

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There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken as it will stop your cough and break up your cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Certificates of cures are safe and sure. Sold by "Wishart's" Drug Store, Cor. 10th and Washington.

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OPEN SALOON IS SNARE OF EVIL

Dr. J. S. Thomas Explains the Work of Local Temperance League

That the moderate drinker does not exist, except in very rare instances, is the opinion of Dr. J. S. Thomas, who for ten years past has been pastor of the Howard Presbyterian Church in San Francisco, and who has succeeded William M. Burle as district superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League. The moderate drinker, he states, cannot long remain one, but will in time evolve into a drunkard. For this reason he believes that the saloon, as an institution, should be suppressed.

"Drunkards" graves to the number of 100,000 are filled annually in this country," stated Dr. Thomas yesterday. "These men were not always drunkards. They were once known as moderate drinkers and were recruited from those ranks. There are no other ranks from which they could be recruited. The man who drinks now is regarded as unreliable and untrustworthy, and his services are not in great demand. Even though he be but a moderate drinker, employers fear that he will become a recruit to the ranks of the drunkards."

TO SUPPRESS SALOON.

"It is my purpose to carry out both the spirit and the object of the Anti-Saloon League," he continued, speaking of his work. "That work is to repress, and ultimately suppress the open saloon. It will not be my purpose to antagonize personalities in any way. It will be altogether a question of principle—that is, I will make war on the grog, and not on the man who is undoubtedly in coming to be recognized more and more as demoralizing. The great thing which the league hopes to accomplish is to give to the drinkers of the State the privilege of expressing themselves on the issue of the open saloon."

The district over which the new officials have supervision comprises Alameda, Contra Costa, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz and San Benito counties. Dr. Thomas will leave within a few days for Chicago to attend the biennial convention of the Anti-Saloon League. The convention will open on December 6 and will continue five days.

THANKSGIVING ORATORIO

TO BE SUNG ON SUNDAY

The choir of the First Congregational Church, Oakland, will give its annual Thanksgiving oratorio service next Sunday evening, November 21, at 7:30 o'clock, upon which occasion Mendelssohn's "A Hymn of Praise" will be sung. Maurice Anger, a tenor who has lately come to California from France, Germany, will sing the tenor solo part, while the other solo parts will be sung by the regular choir soloists. The full strength of the church choir, to the number of seventy voices will be heard in the great choruses of the oratorio. As a special offering, number, Henry L. Perry, the bass soloist of the choir, will sing one of the celebrated Bible songs of Dvorak. Miss Virginia de Fremery will play special organ numbers, and the music will be under the direction of Alexander Stewart, the choir-master of the church.

OAKLAND TEACHER WINS

GRAND PRIZE AT FAIR

Mr. Goddard Gate, head of the Drawing Department of the Manual Training and Commercial High school of Oakland, won one of the three grand prizes at the Alaska-Yukon Fair for paintings exhibited.

Mr. Gate, besides being a teacher of high standing in the Oakland School Department, is an artist of unusual merit. His prize was for the finest exhibit in water colors in competition with all the artists, not only all California, but of the world, who had exhibits at the exposition.

ARMY OF FREE SPEECH CHAMPIONS PREPARE TO INVADE SPOKANE

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—If the followers of the pronounced Socialists in this city successfully execute their plans, the authorities at Spokane, Wash., will have more trouble than they expected. At a meeting to be held tonight a movement will be launched to send 1000 unemployed men from this city to Spokane, and thousands of other unemployed in other cities, according to the plans, will be shipped there also in the hope of influencing the city of Spokane to permit free speech.

The Industrial Workers of the World are in session there and the attempt of their members to speak on street corners has resulted in 100 arrests. The free speech committee, which has the matter in charge here, proposes to send sufficient men to Washington to make free speech on the street corners permissible.

DIVORCE DECAYS CIVILIZATION

Bishop Fitzgerald Declares That Sacredness of Marriage Relation is Test

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Bishop O. P. Fitzgerald of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Nashville, Tenn., has telegraphed here the following opinion concerning recent divorce agitation: "It is a generally accepted truism that sacredness of the marriage relation measures civilization of any country. This is true of all people anywhere without regard to race, color or previous condition. Judged by this standard, the outlook for our country is not encouraging. The divorce evil is increasing. In the higher walks of life, where there is most money, and ought to be most intelligence and superior virtue, the sin and shame of divorce have increased alarmingly. The sacredness of the marriage relation is a feature that tells its own story. Hidden works of darkness are thus confessed. The remedy is with public opinion that will express itself in wider laws and a better practice among our clergy and civil officers."

MARSDEN CONVICTED OF

VICTIMIZING WOMAN

Howard Marsden was found guilty of felony embezzlement late yesterday afternoon by a jury at the conclusion of his trial before Judge Murphy.

Marsden obtained \$100 from Mrs. Irene O'Connell, substitute assistant librarian at the Free Public Library, on the pretense that he was a loan shark and could get 10 per cent per month interest for the money he loaned. He was ordered to appear for sentence next Saturday morning.

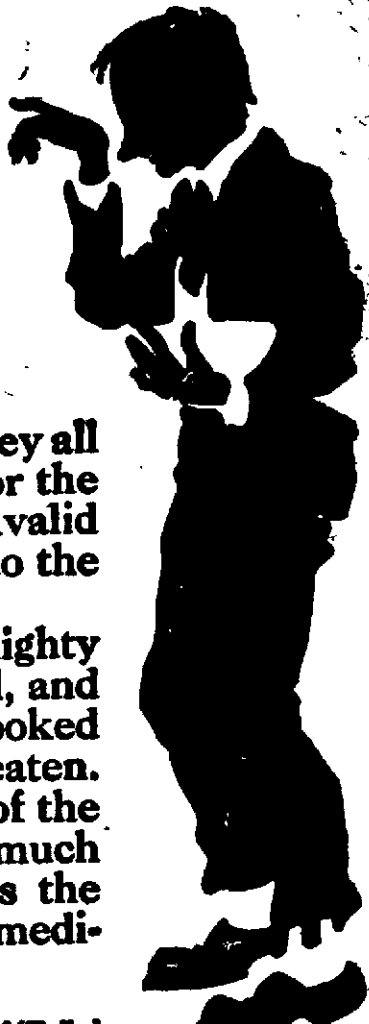
VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA

INVITE PUBLIC TO HALL

Everybody is invited to attend the service Thursday night at the Volunteers of America Rev. Beckett and a number of the young people from the Christian Endeavor society of the Golden Gate Presbyterian Church will have charge of that service. The hall is located at 407 Eleventh street.



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GETS BIG SHARE OF RICH ENGLISH ESTATE

PUEBLO, Colo., Nov. 18.—After being in controversy for more than 100 years an estate in England which may represent several million dollars will revert to several Colorado residents, according to a decision of English courts, notice of which has been received by Mrs. C. O. Dufug of Denver. Mrs. Dufug before marriage was Miss Kate Withington, and the property was owned by her great grandfather. The estate includes Sydney Castle in England and had been in litigation since 1800. The courts have just

GIRL DISCHARGED AS ACCESSORY TO MURDER

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Nov. 18.—Maud Geck was discharged from custody yesterday at her preliminary hearing on the charge of being accessory to the murder of R. D. Gannon, whose body was found on the roof of an office building two weeks ago.

KILLS NEGRO OVER LYNCHING ARGUMENT

CAIRO, Ill., Nov. 18.—Henry Small shot and killed Henry Pope late yesterday as the outcome of an argument over the lynching here last week of Will James, accused of the murder of Miss Annie Felley. Both men are negroes.

Pope was one of the soldiers discharged from the U. S. army after the "shooting up" of Brownsville, Tex. He was well liked by the negroes here, and there is considerable feeling against Small, who was immediately arrested.

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Who wouldn't have a piano in their home when all that is needed is \$6.00 down? It seems that this is just the opportunity that hundreds of home builders of Alameda county have been waiting for.

We have been working overtime sending out pianos. Scores of people have come into the store, and when they saw the splendid pianos that \$6.00 down, \$6.00 a month would buy, they have bought on the spot. When we started this campaign we set our mark at putting 2000 pianos into the homes of Alameda county before Christmas. Judging by the response which has met this offer, we are going to do it.

Ten Fine Makes to Choose From

All of them are high-grade, sweet-toned instruments, so well made that they will hold their tone unimpaired throughout years of use.

The house of Kohler & Chase, during its fifty-nine years of business, has won a reputation for living up to every promise made. You can be sure of a square deal when you buy a piano from this firm. Every person gets the same price, the same treatment. A child could select a piano here as safely as an adult. Why not bring in your \$6.00 and have a piano sent to your home at once?

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ANNEXATION AWAKES SPIRIT OF CONSOLIDATION

BERKELEY AND ALAMEDA
WANT TO JOIN NEW CITY

Greater Oakland Apt to Expand Further
As Soon as Outside Cities Agree
To Form of Government

Events are moving rapidly these days on this side of the bay. The unanimity of public sentiment in favor of the consolidation of municipal corporations lying on the eastern shoreline as expressed in Tuesday's election is revealing itself in other nearby communities still retaining an independent municipal existence.

In Berkeley and Alameda, which have hitherto been supposed to be irreconcilably opposed to consolidation, the tide of public opinion has suddenly changed since Tuesday's election and the desire to unite with the parent city in the creation of one great and progressive city is now being freely expressed. The only question which seems now to remain to be settled in order to produce this result is that relating to the form of government which shall manage the affairs of the consolidated city, and the readiness with which Oakland conceded to the wishes of the representatives of the territory annexed on Tuesday indicates plainly that a fair deal could be consummated without any difficulty whereby Berkeley, Ocean View, Piedmont, Emeryville and Alameda would readily consent to be annexed.

PIEDMONT IN LINE.

In Piedmont a movement has already been started for annexation. The sentiment in favor of annexation has been gaining strength steadily there for some time past. It got a big boost when it was discovered that the little town could not get the necessary municipal facilities without going deeply into debt. Without school facilities and police and fire protection, paying tribute for drainage and other well-known causes, the maintenance of an independent municipality for any length of time has become regarded to be impossible. The result of Tuesday's election has removed all doubts from the minds of the wavering. As a result a petition is to be circulated shortly by the citizens of Piedmont asking the Town Council to call an election for the dissolving of the municipality and settling the question of annexation. Under the law the petition must be signed by only one-fifth of the qualified voters of the town.

SENTIMENT CHANGES.

Many of the leading citizens in Berkeley are now coming out boldly as advocates of consolidation. They admit freely that the prosperity of all of the communities located on this side of the bay depends upon their union under one government, and now that the prospects of Berkeley's expansion have gone aglimmering as the result of Oakland's annexation of Claremont and all of the territory intervening up to the Contra Costa county line they are beginning to agitate the advisability of consolidating with Oakland and jointly working for the creation of a consolidated city and county. A few persons have given voice to the foolish proposition of consolidating Berkeley with San Francisco, but that may be dismissed as merely fruitless anti-annexation to Oakland talk.

ALAMEDA FAVORABLE

In Alameda a similar change in public sentiment has taken place since Tuesday's election. Some of its more influential citizens are already favoring annexation to Oakland, as the only logical means of securing Alameda's future progress and prosperity. The recognition of annexation will harmonize all interests in Oakland harbor and hasten its development for the benefit of commerce. In each of these outside towns and cities, it is quite evident that a campaign of education for annexation will soon be started and in each of them it is conceded that it is their ultimate destiny, which nothing but common sense can prevent.

BRANCH LIBRARIES
Branch libraries will probably be established in Fitchburg and Elmhurst when the next library appropriation is made in July. The library trustees of Oakland are contemplating a number of

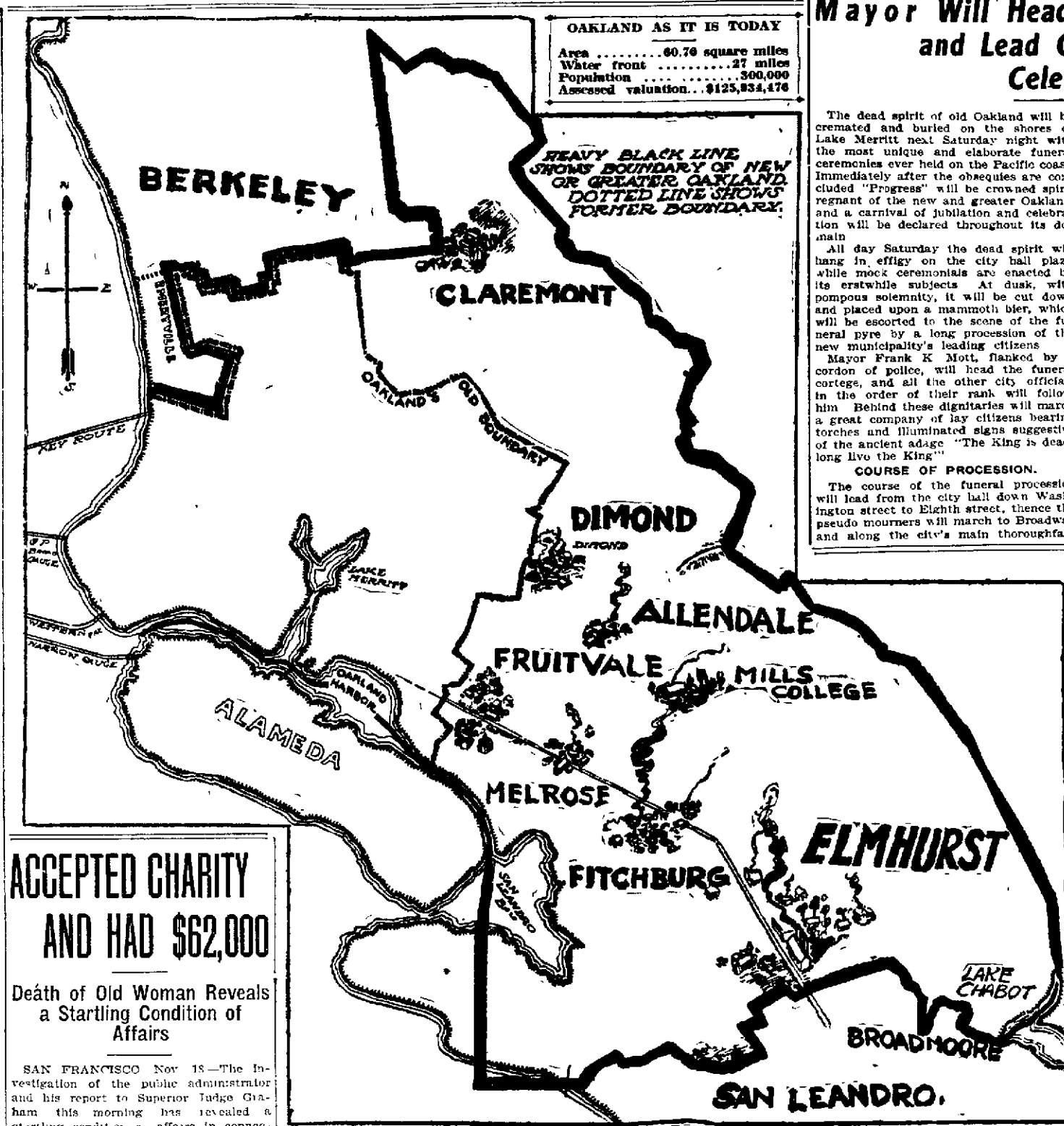
changes in the newly annexed district and will, if possible, establish branches from which books and periodicals can be secured in the same manner as they are now secured from the main library and reading rooms at present established throughout the city.

"It will take a large fund to establish branches in the new district," said Librarian Charles S. Greene today. "The library trustees will be unable to do this before the appropriation is made in next July. We hope at that time to receive sufficient funds to place branches in Fitchburg and Elmhurst. In the meantime the Fruitvale library which is to become a branch of the Oakland institution will be improved as much as possible."

ISSUES FREE CARDS.

Without awaiting the ratification of Tuesday's election, Librarian Greene has ordered that free cards be issued to the residents of the annexed district. Hereafter non-resident holders of cards of the Oakland Library have been compelled to pay \$2 yearly for the privilege of securing books from the institution. With Greene's order today this method will be done away with and residents of the outside territory will have all privileges allotted the other residents of the city.

The ratification of Tuesday's election will make the Fruitvale library a branch of the local institution. The Oakland Library trustees will be expected to receive from the library fund of the city to be used in the improvement of the new branch. The addition of the Fruitvale library will make three branches in the district east of Lake Merritt—one in Fruitvale, the second at Twenty-third avenue and the Fruitvale branch



This map shows Greater Oakland since annexation has been voted by the people. The heavy black line shows the boundary of the new city, while the dotted line shows the former boundary line of Oakland.

ACCEPTED CHARITY
AND HAD \$62,000

Death of Old Woman Reveals
a Startling Condition of
Affairs

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—The investigation of the public administrator and his report to Superior Judge Graham this morning has revealed a startling condition of affairs in connection with Susannah Moore, an octogenarian, who lived amidst squalor and misery in a little hovel on Chestnut and Taylor streets up to the time of her death a year and a half ago.

She was the recipient of numerous gratuities from the Red Cross Society, but received money and supplies chiefly from Roman Catholic officers. It has been learned that she had \$36,000 cash in the bank mortgages and notes to the extent of about \$20,000. In addition, she owned a fifty-foot lot on which her shack stood, bringing her estate to a total of \$62,000.

A most peculiar and gravely humorous feature of her being the recipient of charity is evidenced by the fact that the money she received from charity at the hands of the Roman Catholics was loaned out at 9 per cent interest on mortgages given by Baptists. Two cousins in the East are endeavoring to secure some of her estate.

SPANISH HEIR CLAIMS
MARTINEZ COURTHOUSE

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 18.—Henry E. Ford, a real estate man of Porterville, appeared at the Capitol today, running down old records to verify a deed to a block of property opposite the courthouse at Martinez, Contra Costa county, which was given to him by his mother on her deathbed two weeks ago. The deed, which Mrs. Ford kept as a secret, is old and scarcely discernible in parts. It bears date of July 27, 1857, and is a conveyance of property from J. Ford of Marysville to Lucetta P. Ford of Martinez. Lawyers who have examined it say it will entitle the beneficiary to property which is now occupied by buildings and worth about \$25,000.

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Large Eastern oysters... 25c doz
California oysters... 40c per 100

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STRICKEN DOWN
ON WAY TO DUTY

Policeman John Cronin of
San Francisco Dies Suddenly
of Apoplexy

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Suddenly stricken down with apoplexy as he was leaving his home, 369 Waller street, this morning, John Cronin, one of the best-known officers in the San Francisco police department, died before a physician could reach his side. Cronin has been for thirty-one years a most efficient policeman and for upward of twenty years had been connected with the property clerk's office. He was appointed to the force on May 25, 1878, and there is not a single mark against his name.

He was known as an efficient and able patrolman, always at his post of duty, and he will be missed by his fellow officers in the property clerk's office.

"I feel as if I had lost my brother," said Captain Atchison, the property clerk, this morning, and it was with difficulty that the men were able to take hold of Cronin's routine of duty. The dead officer was 62 years of age and leaves a widow and three children.

PROTESTS AGAINST SHIP
LOAD OF WAR SUPPLIES

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 18.—What is alleged to have been an attempt to take a shipload of supplies to Bluefields to aid the forces of General Estrada was protested in a formal manner at the customs house here late yesterday by Consul General Aitken, representing the Zelaya government in Nicaragua. The Nicaraguan official asked that the steamer Ustein be refused clearance papers on the allegation that it had been chartered by ex-President Manuel Bonilla of Honduras for the purpose of taking revolutionists to Bluefields from this city.

The Collector of the Port wired to the State Department at Washington for instructions, but none having arrived late last evening, he allowed the vessel to proceed.

THREE FROZEN TO DEATH.
LEADVILLE, Colo., Nov. 18.—Frank Loftus, William Hasty and James Hays were found today frozen to death four miles west of the Hill Top mine in the House shoe district.

Young Girls Are Victims of headache, as well as older women, but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25c at Osgood Bros.

INSURES LIFE FOR
MILLION AND HALF

Missouri Man Applies for Record Amount in Several Companies

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 18.—Insurance of \$1,500,000 has been applied for on the life of George E. Nicholson, 40 years of age, a cement manufacturer of Kansas City, by two of the companies of which he is the head. Insurance men say this is the largest amount in life insurance ever sought at one time upon the life of one person in the history of insurance.

For more than twelve hours, twenty-five physicians, representing different companies, were examining Mr. Nicholson. When the day was over he was thoroughly tired and so with the doctors. He was given the most searching examination possible because of the great amount of insurance involved.

After it was all over the physicians declared that he was in perfect physical health and the local agents of the different insurance companies said that the policies would be issued.

HAWAIIAN GOVERNOR
ON HIS WAY TO COAST

HONOLULU, Nov. 18.—Governor Walter F. Frear left here yesterday on the steamer Lurline for San Francisco on his way to Washington to consult with the heads of various government departments in regard to Hawaiian affairs. He proposes to do everything in his power to secure favorable action by Congress on amendments to the organic act of the Territory of Hawaii which were adopted at the recent special session of the Legislature. The Governor will invite Secretary of the Interior Ballinger to visit the islands. He expects to see Andrew Carnegie in New York and complete arrangements for a library in Honolulu.

STRANGLES TO DEATH
WHILE AT BREAKFAST

REDWOOD CITY, Nov. 18.—Patrick McCormick, an old resident of this place, was killed in a strange manner at Purisima on the coast Monday morning. While eating breakfast a piece of meat lodged in his throat, and before assistance could be summoned he had choked to death. A coroner's jury rendered a verdict of death by strangulation.

TALK MUNICIPALITIES.
CINCINNATI, Nov. 18.—Franchise questions and municipal budgets were the principal subjects considered at the closing session of the National Municipal League convention here today.

SPIRIT OF OLD OAKLAND
TO BE BURNED IN EFFIGY

Mayor Will Head Funeral Procession
and Lead Great Carnival
Celebration

The dead spirit of old Oakland will be cremated and buried on the shores of Lake Merritt next Saturday night with the most unique and elaborate funeral ceremonies ever held on the Pacific coast. Immediately after the obsequies are concluded "Progress" will be crowned spirit regnant of the new and greater Oakland, and a carnival of jubilation and celebration will be declared throughout its domain.

All day Saturday the dead spirit will hang in effigy on the city hall plaza while mock ceremonies are enacted by its erstwhile subjects. At dusk, with pompous solemnity, it will be cut down and placed upon a mammoth bier, which will be escorted to the scene of the funeral pyre by a long procession of the new municipality's leading citizens. Mayor Frank K. Mott, flanked by a cordon of police, will head the funeral cortege, and all the other city officials in the order of their rank will follow him. Behind the dignitaries will march a great company of lay citizens bearing torches and illuminated signs suggestive of the ancient adage "The King is dead long live the King."

COURSE OF PROCESSION.

The course of the funeral procession will lead from the city hall down Washington street to Elkhart street, thence the pseudo mourners will march to Broadway and along the city's main thoroughfare

to the corner of Thirteenth street, where it will be followed seaward to the lake. While the great bonfire which is to consume the dead spirit is being kindled, Senator George Perkins will deliver a funeral oration, and the duty of crowning the new spirit will also devolve upon him. Speeches of much consequence and hearty acclamation will be made by other over-tongued speakers of the new municipality.

MAYOR TO LEAD CARNIVAL.
With the return of the erstwhile funeral procession, now transformed into a triumphal coronation pageant to the heart of the city, a great carnival will be declared and the Mayor will turn the key to Oakland over to the patriotic revelers and throw the city open to fun and festivity.

Confetti, torches, masks and costumes will be the order of the remainder of the night and the city's chief executive himself will lead his constituents in a night of revelry. The carnival will be continued under the official sanction, so that there can be no excuse for laggards in the fun-making. Arrangements for the celebration are now practically complete. Carnival committees have been appointed by the Mayor, and it will be their duty to see that every patriotic Oaklander turns out to take his part in the celebration.

COMMITTEES.

The committees are as follows:
Chairman of executive committee, W. M. Gardner, secretary, Charles F. Cole.
Committee on speakers — A. S. Lawrence, E. B. Butts, J. J. Gordon.
Committee on Old and New Spirit — Dan McLaughlin, Carl H. Reuter.
Committee on Music — D. E. Perkins, Gustave Mann.
Committee on transparencies — A. S. Lawrence, C. C. Craig.
Committee on police and privileges — Walter Fawcett.
Committee on publicity for newly annexed district — F. J. Gordon.
Committee on publicity — G. C. Barnhart.

WEBER PIANOLA
SCORES SUCCESS

Wonderful Instrument of the
"Grand" Type Gives a Remarkable Recital

Ebbell hall was filled last night with an audience of music lovers who assembled to hear the Weber grand pianola. The concert was given by the Koller & Chase Music Company. The Weber grand pianola is pronounced wonderful by prominent singers and instrumentalists. The first to bring this instrument here was the operator, F. A. Briggs, proving that in the rendition of all classes of music and in accompanying a singer it leaves nothing to be desired.

The program was enhanced by a number of selections by Miss Anna Dolan of San Francisco, soprano. Miss Dolan sang four Italian love lyrics from "The Garden of Iliana," by Woodford-Finden that were enthusiastically received. Her first two numbers were "Still Wie Die Nacht," by Bohm, and "Loch Lomond," a Scotch air. She was accompanied by these songs by a piano. The pianola, which, under his hand, gauged itself to the singer's tempo with accurate nicety. The instrumental selections were as follows:
Valse Caprice.....Rubenstein
Fantasia on Harry Lauder's song.....Cavalleri
Kustiana, Polka.....Mason
Punchello.....Herbert
Loreley.....Boettger
Day Dream Waltz.....Herbert
Rhapsodie No. 2.....Liszt

The District of Columbia in the Bush Stove and in the case.
Chief Justice Shepard stated that if the labor leaders would by November 29, the day the Supreme Court of the United States reconvenes, file in that court a petition for certiorari, a further stay of the mandate would on application be granted pending the determination of the application by the higher tribunal. As a result of this action, Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison held that it was necessary for them to surrender, nor will they have to resort to habeas corpus proceedings.

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SCOTT CHAMPIONS
ALICE ROOSEVELT

Montana Senator Denies Story
of Unconventional Conduct in Korea

PASADENA, Cal. Nov. 18.—United States Senator Scott of Montana, who with Miss Scott was in the recuperating party on the Taft friendship junket to the Orient in 1905, indignantly denies that Mrs. Nicholas Longworth (the horseback rider) published the statement regarding the then "Miss Alice Roosevelt" several days ago in Berlin. Senator Scott, who is visiting here until Congress convenes, said positively that the Fraulien was "deliberately" in error.

MOTHER AT 48 GIVES
BIRTH TO 19TH CHILD

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Marie Radigh 48 years old and married twenty years has given birth to her nineteenth child. The child, a female, is living, but one of them, daughter 19 years old, is married and the mother of one child.

Poley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. A fund backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes. Sold by all druggists. Dr. E. C. Poley, Cor. 16th and Washington.

GREAT VICTORY FOR ANNEXATION

Pianoless Homes of Greater Oakland Unanimous in Favor of Annexing a Piano

Overwhelming Vote for the \$6 Down, \$6 a Month System

Kohler & Chase Pile Up a Tremendous Majority

Among the thousands who went to the polls and voted for annexation were hundreds of home builders who, during the last two months have bought pianos from the firm of Kohler & Chase for \$6 down and \$6 a month.

The home builders of Alameda county seem to have been waiting for just such an opportunity, and probably more pianos have gone into the homes of Alameda county during this period than at any other time.

But still there are many homes left in Greater Oakland which should have a piano.

The pleasure of home life so largely depends upon music, and of all musical instruments the piano is the accepted instrument.

Why don't you have a piano sent to your home at once? Simply bring in \$6, then pay \$6 every month. No one need be without a piano when \$6 down, \$6 a month buys a splendid piano from Kohler & Chase. You will find ten standard makes to choose from, every one of them pianos of sweet tone and sound construction, which are backed up by the guarantee of the house of Kohler & Chase. No one need take chances in buying a piano. All they have to do is to be sure they have the Kohler & Chase guarantee. This is the piano buyer's protection; it has been for 50 years.

Now, don't wait or delay. Have a piano in your home before Thanksgiving. The holiday season is close at hand and a piano in your home will add ever so much to the pleasure of the holiday festivities.

The Kohler & Chase Oakland Store, 1015 Broadway

SUDDEN PASSING OF VETERAN JOURNALIST

REDDING, Nov. 18.—William D. Pratt, editor and founder of the Kennet View and the Coram Enterprise died suddenly Tuesday evening in the home of W. R. Conant near Castella. He lay down on the bed and quickly expired from heart trouble.

Pratt was born in Iowa 53 years ago. He was a great hand to start newspapers in new mining camps. He was an ardent Republican and a Knight of Pythias. He had been in the newspaper business in Shasta county for ten years. The editor was the father of eleven children, most of whom are living in Portland, Oregon, with the wife from whom Pratt was separated some ago.

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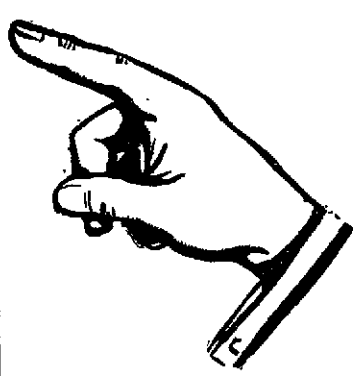
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CLUB WOMEN FILL HAT WITH SILVER TO ASSIST INDIANS

PASADENA, Cal., Nov. 18.—Their sympathies aroused by the assertion that the 200,000 Indians who formerly lived in California had been reduced by starvation to 7000, the delegates attending the convention of the Los Angeles District Federation of Women's Clubs showered dollars, halves and quarters in the hat of the president last night to furnish Christmas cheer for the aborigines on the various reservations.

A resolution was first introduced deploring the sad state of the Indians, but it was withdrawn and the money shower substituted when the president, Mrs. Feilhoff-Rundell, removed her big plumed hat and declared that, filled with a silver collection, it could supply the quickest means of alleviating present conditions.

The next question before the clubs now will be how to distribute the funds.



MRS. STETSON IS NEAR COLLAPSE

Christian Science Leader Has to Be Taken From Trial and Revived

BOSTON, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, after nearly three days of trial before the board of directors of the Christian Science church, nearly collapsed yesterday afternoon and had to be assisted to another room and revived by her friends. It was seventeen minutes before she was able to return to the inquisition.

The allegations of the leaders of the mother church upon which they themselves are basing an investigation are given by one of the most prominent Christian Scientists in the country, who enjoys close personal and official relations with Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, the head of the church. He made it a condition of a statement that his name should not be used. The reason for this is obvious. Following is his statement:

"The conditions surrounding the work of Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, formerly first reader of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in New York, have long been regarded by the leaders of the church, but the matter was overlooked until circumstances forced our hand. I refer to the revolt among that element of her own congregation who have claimed that they have been victims of a practice which the church never has and never can recognize."

"Mrs. Stetson, regardless of what she herself and her handful of faithful adherents say, has been practicing hypnotism. In her practice she has degenerated into what might be termed the purely physical. Whatever her private beliefs may be she has ignored in her practice the fundamentals of Christian Science."

"She has set herself forth, in so far as she dared, as the real head of the Christian Science church. She has unquestionably assumed the name of Mrs. Eddy as head of the church. Mrs. Stetson's complete surrender means that her power is broken."

"If the public wish to follow the leadership of a woman whose basis of practice is mental suggestion or hypnotism, that is one thing, but that is not Christian Science; and if, on the contrary, the public wish to embrace the truths of Christian Science, our people should insist that no false doctrines or practices are set forth under that name and representation."

YOUTHFUL VICTIM OF HUNTER DIES

Thirteen-Year-Old Boy Succumbs to Shotgun Wound Received on Raft

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., Nov. 18.—Sidney Jenne, the 13-year-old boy, who was fatally injured near here yesterday by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, died today. Jenne was hunting with a companion named Chappelle on a raft on Neary's Lagoon when the gun was discharged as it was being passed to him. One of his legs was almost severed. He died from loss of blood and shock.

DON'T HAVE TO SERVE A NEGRO, COURT SAYS

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 18.—The Iowa Supreme Court handed down a decision yesterday holding that a private business concern under the Iowa statutes could legally refuse to serve a negro.

Mrs. Susie Brown, a negroess, had sued the J. H. Bell Coffee Company for \$1000 damages because she was refused a cup of coffee at a pure food show in Des Moines a year ago.

A SECRET FOR WOMEN

Cut This Out.

Madame Moneaux, deceased beauty specialist of New York, long possessed the greatest of all secrets pertaining to feminine charm. And what is this great secret, so much desired by women—the secret that has made a vast fortune for the madam's heirs, and that brought her all the famous actresses and society leaders for patrons?

It is a simple but sure method of developing the bust, arms and neck of women who through defect of nutrition and circulation, are humiliated by undeveloped arms, neck and bust. Ugly, deformed women are developed into charming personages with well rounded bust and neck and full normal bust of exquisite curve and proportion. Get separately "two ounces glycerine," "three ounces rose water" and "one ounce tincture cadomene compound" (not curdumom), and five cents' worth of borax. Take home, mix the glycerine with tincture cadomene, shake and let stand two hours; then add a teaspoonful of borax and the rose water. Shake well and apply to the neck, arms and bust, rubbing and massaging until completely absorbed; then wash thoroughly with hot water and soap and dry thoroughly. Apply morning and night regularly for several weeks and the most beautiful development will begin to reward the efforts. It is believed by experts to be the most necessary and effective prescription ever conceived.

WORK BEING PRESSED ON CALIFORNIA MIDLAND

GRASS VALLEY, Nov. 18.—Before leaving for Boston, John Martin, one of the heads of the California Midland Railroad, announced that the line would be through to Hampton by next spring and that the most beautiful development will begin to reward the efforts. It is believed by experts to be the most necessary and effective prescription ever conceived.

HERB DOCTOR PLEADS GUILTY TO KILLING GIRL

TAUNTON, Mass., Nov. 18.—"Professor" Frank L. Hill, the herb doctor of Fall River who had pleaded guilty of manslaughter in connection with the death of Annie St. Jean of Woonsocket, R. I., was sentenced today to not less than seven nor more than ten years in state's prison. Hill dismembered the girl's body and distributed it in the woods.

SNOWFALL ON MARS

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Nov. 18.—Director Lowell of the observatory here reports that the first apparent antarcctic snowfall of the season has been observed here on Mars. Two patches appear at latitude 62.72, longitude 100.08. The first was on November 12, and was small with a great increase on the 15th. The second on the latter date was observed for the first time.

BROADWAY WILL BE WELL PAVED

Delay in Important Work Until Next Spring Cannot Be Avoided

Superintendent of Streets Howe gave the following interview to a reporter for THE TRIBUNE today with reference to the paving of Broadway: "The present condition of Broadway between Nineteenth street and Piedmont avenue, is both unsightly and inconvenient to traffic; however, conditions have been such that it has not been possible to pave the street this year. Before laying the proposed pavement it was necessary to rearrange the drainage facilities. Two large sewers were installed and have now been completed but a few months. The trenches were very deep, in some places over 16 feet; such trenches require a considerable period to properly settle, and the safest way was to allow these trenches to lay over the winter before attempting to pave the street. For this reason resolutions to pave the street, published August 6, 1909, were rescinded August 16th by the City Council. "Anticipating the importance of carrying through the preliminaries so as to be ready to pave Broadway in the early spring, this department recommended to the City Council several weeks ago that plans and specifications governing the work be prepared at once and the Resolution of intention to do said work published at an early date."

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH TO BE HANDSOME EDIFICE

HAYWARD, Nov. 18.—All Saints' Church, which has been in the course of construction since last April, will be one of the most attractive structures in Hayward when it is completed. Rev. Father Villadomat, pastor of the church, stated recently that the edifice will cost \$20,000 when it is finished. About \$12,000 has been raised during the past three or four years for the new building, which will be first class. For the purpose of raising more money for the church building a bazaar will be given next year. Rev. Villadomat started the fund by calling for a subscription from the parish.

EX-SECRETARY CARLISLE IN SERIOUS CONDITION

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—While it was stated at St. Vincent's Hospital today that ex-Secretary of the Treasury John G. Carlisle had passed a comfortable night and that no change for the worse had occurred, it is generally believed that Mr. Carlisle may not recover.

NO BENEFIT HERE FOR YOUTHS' DIRECTORY

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—An announcement was made today by the Youths' Directory to the effect that there would be no benefit held at Ye Liberty Theater in Oakland on December 21, as was first advertised.

RIGHT LEG CUT OFF BY KEARNY STREET CAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—A car of the Kearny street line, coming down the hill toward Pacific street, shortly after 6 o'clock this morning, ran into Charles Lickard, a poultry man, of 18 Union Place, cutting off his right leg. He was taken in an ambulance to the Central Emergency hospital, where Dr.

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That is the fairest proposition ever made by a rupture specialist. The bona fide or any responsible citizen in San Francisco will tell you that is the way I do business—always absolutely on the square.

Here is what Mr. Jas. Britton, a prominent manufacturer of Bethlehem, Pa., writes:

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If you have tried most everything else, come to me. Where others fail is where I have my greatest success. Write me today and I will send you my book on Rupture and its Cure, showing my appliance and giving you prices and names of people who have tried it and been cured. It is instant relief when all others fail. Remember I use no salves, no harmful no fees. Just a straight business deal at a reasonable price. C. E. Brooke, Brooke Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

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Christmas Suggestions

I beg to announce that my Christmas stock is now complete. The wise shopper will take advantage of an early selection. The reasons are obvious—First, you get the choice of an unbroken assortment. Second, you are sure not to be disappointed in your engraving. Any article in stock may be reserved for later delivery, thus saving the RUSH season, which is sure to come earlier this year than usual. Again, while I have the only manufacturing and repair department in connection with any jewelry store in Oakland, it will not be possible to turn out too many rush orders at the last minute, and thus the late customer must be disappointed. I solicit an inspection of my large stock which includes Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, Clocks, Cut Glass and many Novelties. Orders for your Christmas stationery should be left early to insure stamping.

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EUREKA BOY FLIES IN HIS MONOPLANE

Covers Three-Quarters of a Mile in One Minute and a Half

EUREKA, Nov. 18.—Blaine Salvage, a young mechanic of this city, in a monoplane of his own construction, made a trial flight last evening of three-fourths of a mile, at an average height of three feet, in one minute and a half.

Salvage has been at work on his monoplane for more than a year. He not only constructed the machine, which is built on the monoplane model, unassisted, but even made himself the twenty-horse power, four-cylinder engine by which it is driven.

The ambitious young mechanic says he has perfected steering and balancing devices which are entirely new, and considers them an improvement over those used by other aviators. In his next flight he plans to fly over the city.

Salvage stated that he expects to take his monoplane to Los Angeles to try for a prize offered by a paper of that city.

WRESTLED WITH WOMAN AND IS BADLY INJURED

CINCINNATI, Nov. 18.—Wm. Frick, 50 years of age, son of the late Wooster banker, Jacob Frick, and nephew of H. Clay Frick, the steel magnate, is lying at a hospital as the result of a scuffle last night in the apartments of a woman giving her name as Florence Adams of Toledo. The woman declared she and Frick were wrestling over a glass of beer when both pressed against the window frame, which gave way, precipitating them to the pavement.

THANKSGIVING RATES

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PETITIONS JUDGE PATCH UP QUARREL

Sorrowing Husband Turns Over New Leaf and Wants Wife and Babe

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Superior Judge Graham's known gift as a mediator of broken hearts, and his ability to work the miracle of bringing warring couples together, has been the cause of his receiving this morning a pitiful letter from one of a couple who aired their grievances in his court some time ago.

The sorrowing husband and father writes to his honor as follows:

"Judge, dear Sir: I drop you a line to ask you once more to try to get my wife and myself in your chambers together. I would like to be together with her and my baby for Thanksgiving. I have turned a new leaf and if I don't treat her right from now on you can send me to jail. I would like her very much if it could be done that we could meet Saturday afternoon, as I am working and don't get through till noon. Hoping that you will do this, as it will be something I never will forget. My wife's name is Mrs. Kate Hammond, 2214 Howard street, and my address is 3249 Seventeenth street. Thanking you from the bottom of my heart, I remain, your obedient servant, J. Hammond."

Judge Graham will endeavor to comply with Hammond's request.

FIRST ANTARCTIC SNOW IS OBSERVED ON MARS

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Nov. 18.—Director Lowell of the observatory here reports that the first apparent antarctic snowfall of the season has been observed here on Mars. Two patches appear at latitude 67° N. longitude 100° W. The first was on November 12 and was small, with a great increase on the 16th. The second on the latter date was observed for the first time. This is of special interest because it is exceptionally early for the first fall of snow, and from the fact that the second and smaller patch is where the patch lingered in melting away last August beyond the rest of the polar cap.

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CARNIVAL QUEEN ASSUMES CROWN

Coronation Ceremonies at Point Richmond Attended by Governor Gillett

POINT RICHMOND, Nov. 18.—The spirit of carnival permeates Point Richmond today. It is the beginning of the greatest festival ever attempted here and enormous crowds of visitors are pouring in from the surrounding country to participate in the celebration.

The fest will continue, practically without intermission, until Saturday night, inclusive, and the elaborate program that has been prepared for the festivities warrants the prediction that it will exceed all expectations in point of attendance and diversified entertainment.

At 7 o'clock this forenoon the carnival was inaugurated with a cannon salute and at 9 o'clock Miss Ella La Salle, who won the legal honor over four competitors at the recent hotly contested election, was formally crowned queen of the carnival with the title of Elizabeth I. The coronation was a magnificent affair, the lovely sovereign appearing upon the throne in royal robes and attended by a brilliant array of courtly ladies and gentlemen in magnificent costumes.

Immediately following the coronation, which lasted about thirty minutes, Queen Elizabeth reviewed the grand civic and industrial procession. The parade started on Macdonald avenue, the new street, the completion of which is the cause of the celebration. It was an elaborate pageant and commensurate industry, agriculture and commerce were illustrated by splendid floats and other features.

GOVERNOR SPEAKS.

This afternoon is being given over to the formal public exercises incident to the carnival. Among those who made addresses were Governor Gillett and Mayor Frank K. Mott of "Greater Oakland."

At 1:30 o'clock the sidewalks were thrown open to the public and at 2 o'clock there was an old-fashioned barbecue, followed by a band concert and a number of vaudeville acts presented in the open air.

"The Eagles opened a 'kangaroo court' at 2 o'clock and this rollicking feature of the carnival will run the remainder of the day. It is meeting out 'justice' with a high and tyrannical hand.

There will be a confetti battle on Macdonald avenue tonight, in which everybody will participate. Revelry will run riot and pleasure will be untrammelled.

A committee in charge of the festival consists of C. B. Evans, H. J. Kelly, L. S. Higgins, H. Adkinson, L. H. Schrader and W. Pennington.

OSAKA SETS EXAMPLE IN CIVIC OWNERSHIP

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Toshio Matsumura, former vice-mayor of Osaka and a member of the Japanese Commercial Commission which has been touring this country, calls for home today by way of England.

His remarks, remarked upon the slight interest taken in the United States on municipal ownership of street railways, and said that Japan was far ahead in that respect.

Osaka, with a population of 1,000,000 and about as large as Manhattan Island, owns its own street railways, water works, cemeteries and crematoriums. It also owns the only foreign hotel in the city. An American gas company has the franchise for lighting the city, but the city charges it for using the streets to convey its pipes.

FORMER SUPERVISOR IS ACCUSED OF FRAUD

SANTA ROSA, Nov. 18.—Sheriff Smith reached here yesterday with former Supervisor Isaac J. Burton, who is under indictment by the grand jury for having presented an alleged fraudulent claim to the Board of Supervisors. Sheriff Smith went to San Diego, where Burton has been residing for some time, and took him into custody there. Burton is one of the most popular officials in the county. He has ever had, and his presentation of a duplicate lumber bill for one of the road districts is believed to have been the result of a clerical error. When his attention was called to the matter Burton offered to pay the amount, \$30, into the treasury, but this privilege was denied him.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT SAN RAFAEL

SAN RAFAEL, Nov. 18.—The following marriage licenses were issued here to couples of Alameda county:

George Michael Longinetti, age 28, of Oakland, and Lulu M. Roylance, age 28, of San Francisco.

Frank Zeller, age 48, and Charlotte Long, age 40, both of Oakland.

James Cornman, age 44, and Mary E. Johnston, age 40, both of Oakland.

Thomas J. Brown, age 28, of Berkeley, and Josephine E. Lovitt, age 33, of Oakland.

Grand Guardian of Women of Woodcraft To Deliver Lecture



MRS. C. C. VAN ORSDALL.

Mrs. Carrie C. Van Orsdall, grand guardian of the Women of Woodcraft, will address a meeting of the members of the Women of Woodcraft of Alameda county on Saturday evening, November 20, at Oakland Circle No. 256, Elythian Castle, Twelfth and Alameda streets.

The important topics on which her address is based are the rate question, monument and funeral benefit and all new legislation recently enacted at the Grand Circle session in Portland, Ore.

Twelve years ago Mrs. Van Orsdall instituted the order of the Women of Woodcraft, which has proved a successful fraternal organization. She has been the grand guardian of the order since it was founded. The circles of Alameda county will be the guests of Oakland Circle on that occasion, and a large crowd is expected.

Refreshments will be served by a committee composed of Mrs. A. Maehler, Mrs. R. Fetterhoff, Mrs. E. Harris, Mrs. E. Harlow and Mrs. A. G. Fraser.

SAYS TIME IS RIPE FOR CONSOLIDATION

EDITOR THE TRIBUNE: Allow me, through the columns of your valued paper, to suggest that the time is opportune for the consolidation of Oakland and Berkeley.

It is unquestionably a fact that public sentiment in Berkeley has been opposed to it, yet all men have seen that the event is inevitable. The east bay cities are already one geographically, socially and in their business interests. It would be very much to exist a feeling more favorable to consolidation than at any time in the past. The success of the elections held on Monday and Tuesday unquestionably have reacted favorably on the public mind.

Consolidation will render the formation of a city and county government much easier, as it will reverse the interest of several members of the Legislature, and reduce the enormous expense of the chief difficulties to consolidation, from the Berkeley point of view, have been Oakland's antiquated city government, an unwillingness to merge the school and board of departments, and heretofore her interests, as regards saloons and resorts calculated to make the city less desirable as a home for the university, and make the atmosphere less wholesome for the children, might not be successfully protected.

Mayor Mott and his advisers and supporters are to be congratulated upon the happy termination of an issue presenting unusual complexity in the elections just held. Undoubtedly, in conference with the leading men of Berkeley, an equally happy solution will be found. It is a good plan to "strike while the iron is hot."

F. A. LACEY,
2447 Oregon street, Berkeley.

ST. ANDREW'S BAZAAR IS DRAWING TO CLOSE

The bazaar given under the auspices of the Ladies Guild of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, in the church parlors, Twelfth and Magnolia streets, which opened Tuesday evening, will close tonight with a musical program. The fair has proved a success, and it is believed that a neat sum will be realized for the church fund. The officers of the guild who are directing the functions are Mrs. Harry Brown, president; Mrs. C. R. Ross, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Harry Baker, vice-president.

The booths are presided over by the members of the Guild. The tables are as follows: Fancy work, Mrs. C. R. Ross, Mrs. Harry E. Miller and Miss Jane Barry; candy, Mrs. Harry Baker; lemonade, Mrs. William Painter and Miss Mary Whitson; aprons, Mrs. Harry Brown; delicates, Mrs. Frank Kane and Mrs. J. R. Wilkins; kitchen, Mrs. Charles Hughes, Mrs. George Newman and Mrs. Frank Hill.

According to the arrangements made by the committee in charge of the affair, the following musical program will be rendered tonight: Vocal solos by Wm. Wright, Miss Dorothy Thirrs, Fred William and Miss Florence Englebright; recitation, Miss Anita Larsen.

TO KEEP CANAL LABORERS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Prompt action will be taken by President Taft in preventing contractors engaged in building railroads in South America from enticing laborers away from Panama.

Last month these contractors induced 1000 laborers to leave the canal zone. President Taft issued an executive order making the enticement of these laborers a misdemeanor.

HALLEY'S COMET WEARS HOOD.
ROSTON, Nov. 18.—John Ritchey, Jr., well known scientist, received the following dispatch from Professor Lowell at Flagstaff, A. T.: "An observer has taken a photograph of Halley's comet and a resemblance of a hood."

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Professor Kohler will be assisted in Oakland by our Mr. Mueller, who is an expert on artificial eyes. He concludes his engagement at our S. F. store, 120 Geary street, tomorrow afternoon.

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SECRET MARRIAGE TO COUNT IS TOLD BY FAIR OREGON BRIDE

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The secret marriage a year ago of Count Kaiman Cacky, said to be a third cousin of Count Bruchsal, who married Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, and Mrs. Maud Howard Bryan, formerly of Portland, Or., has just been announced in this city. Count Cacky is the former husband of the present wife of Jan Kibelik, the violinist.

The count and his present wife have taken apartments here and expect to remain permanently.

The new Countess Cacky, who is credited with being quite wealthy, explained that the marriage had been kept secret because her relatives in the West raised objections.

VEGETARIAN CAFE IS GUTTED BY FLAMES

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Flames originating in the kitchen of the St. Helena Vegetarian Restaurant, 416-418 Market street, early last night, partly destroyed the temporary one-story shack at Front and Market street, property of the Macdonough estate. The fire was discovered by W. Dathe of the Marine Patrol, and the fire department arrived before it gained much headway.

Among the firms which sustained slight losses through water and smoke were Abbott & Co., real estate, 414 Market; Henry Cassarini Jewelry Company, 412 Market; Hall & Smith, stationers, 410 Market street, and the Royal Typewriter.

MAE WOOD TO FACE CHARGES.

JULIENBURG, Colo., Nov. 18.—Mae Wood, charged with perjury in connection with the claim that she is the wife of Senator Thomas C. Platt, left for New York last night for trial. She says she has received no notice that the charges have been formally dismissed.

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